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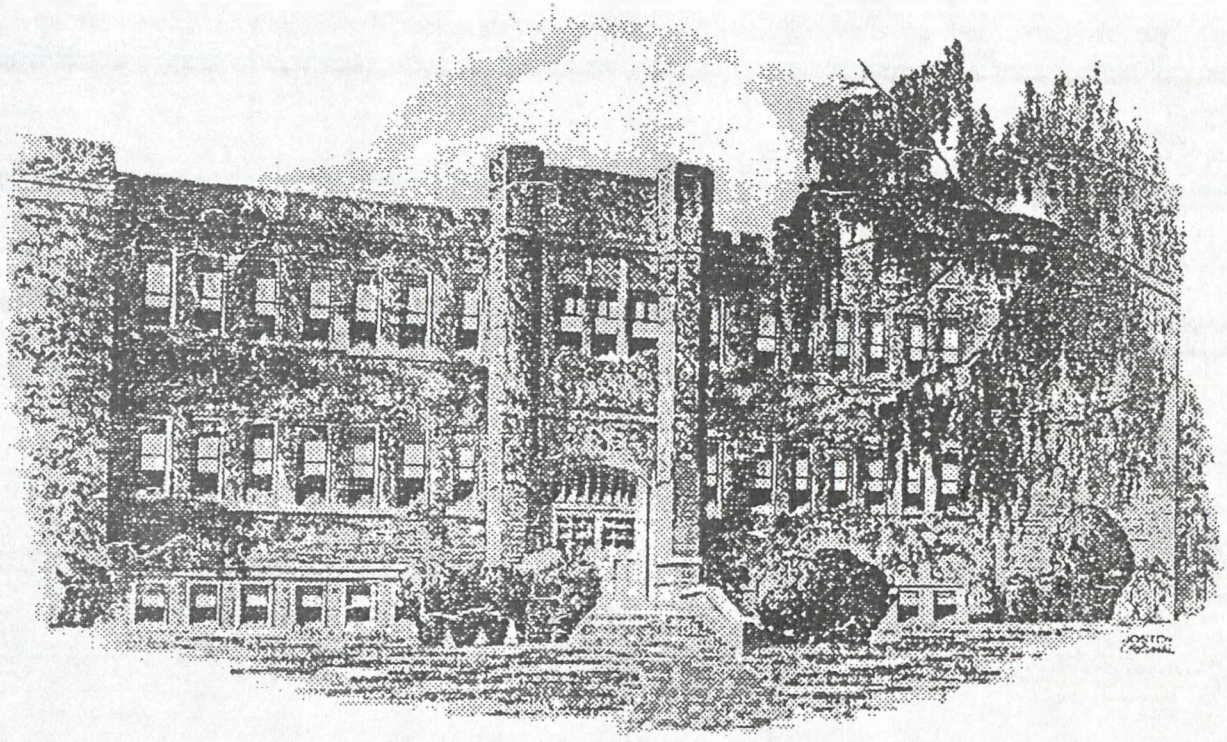

Concannon High School

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DEDICATION

This book is dedicated to all graduates of Concannon High School, and to the memory of Thomas P. and Edna (Lloyd) Concannon whose dedication to education and their leadership in the community were instrumental in the development of the Concannon High School, and the consolidation Sugar Creek Township, Vigo County, Indiana.

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The Beginnings of Concannon High School

The idea of a consolidated school found its inception in Concord-town, Massachusetts, where twelve schools of a rural town were consolidated into one large school in the year 1869. When Caleb Mills migrated from Massachusetts to Indiana, he carried with him that germ of consolidation. Indiana took her place as a leader in consolidation and during the years from 1910 to 1922 the principles of consolidation were extended into seventy-six of the ninety-two counties of the state.

It was during the years of 1910 and 1914 that the population of school-age children in Sugar Creek Township increased 24 per cent. The new township trustee, Thomas P. Concannon, was faced with the problem of housing this growing population of school children. Fifteen frame buildings included twelve one-room buildings, one two-room building and two three-room buildings made up the township school facilities. Many of these buildings had been used fifty years or more and none were modern in tis system of heating, lighting, ventilation, or sanitation. The equipment was old and run down, and the advantages offered were overcrowded.

In 1915, a group of children from thirty families in the Liggett area had been transferred to the West Terre Haute schools, thus bringing hardships and inconvenience to both parents and children. These parents petitioned for relief and the trustee was instructed to purchase the Old Township House and to prepare it as the 16th rural school in the township. This school opened in September 1915 with 46 pupils.

As large classes of students completed the elementary school work, it became evident that there was a growing interest and need for secondary education. Transfers to the West Terre Haute High School were available, but the response was discouraging. During the years 1911 to 1915, 43 transfers had been made.

16 pupils attended high school one year; 13 pupils attended high school two years; and 14 pupils attended high school 4 years.

In the fall of 1915 an experiment was tried to offer the freshman year of high school at the Whitcomb Heights School under the leadership of Principal Walter Harvey. Nine pupils were in the initial group. Fourteen additional freshmen chose to enter the next year which brought the two year high school enrollment to 23.

Interest in the small high school increased and its was decided in the fall of 1916 to move the high school classes, now numbering 36, to the "Pee Wee", an abandoned business building at Ferguson Hill. Three years of high school work were offered.

Consequently, a petition circulated by William Dorman was signed by 350 residents of the township and presented to the trustee. The petition asked for the construction of a modern grade and high school building. Enrollment in the high school continued to grow, additional space was rented, and additional teachers were added, thus offering courses for a 4-year high school. Teachers were required to hold a Bachelor's Degree and desirable equipment was purchased so that the State Board of Inspection issued a conditional Commission to the school in 1917. This assured the graduates the privilege of entering any standard college without examination.

As study for a new school progressed, location for the new school was debated. A study revealed hat 48 per cent of the school population lived within a radius of one and one half miles from Ferguson Hill. It was decided that the new school would consolidate the pupils in the schools in the northern part of the township. At a future time, another school would be built to accommodate the southern part of the township.

The town of West Terre Haute proposed to join the township in buildinga joint high school. After much study and discussion, it was concluded that the township needed a consolidated grade and high school building, that the financial condition of the township justified the erection of a modern building, and the township was capable of control and management of its own educational system that would meet the academic, vocational, and recreational needs of the rural characteristics and interests of the township students.

In March of 1917, the advisory board approved purchase for $5,000, a six acre site on Ferguson Hill (owned by Katie Ermisch), for the proposed building. Bids for construction were received; it became necessary to dispense with the construction of the gymnasium. The bids of Almond Stoolman for $40,528, and a plumbing/heating bid of Wissell and Christman for $13,900 were accepted. Bonds were issued and would be completely paid by June 1932.

In the spring of 1918 the student body met in convocation to choose a name for the new school. A developing school spirit and loyalty to their school officials led the pupils to select the name "Concannon" in honor of their trustee, Thomas P. Concannon, who had carried out the building program.

On June 19, 1918 the first high school graduation was held for three graduates: Sadie Rogers, Ray Rogers, and Otto Heck.

The Concannon High and grade School was opened September 5, 1918 with an enrollment of 44 in the high school and 166 in the grade school. In December 1919, the school received the State commendation as follows: "This is one of the best constructed buildings we have every inspected. Under the management of Trustee Concannon the school spirit of Sugar Creek Township is forging its way to the front ranks in Vigo County." The final inspection by the State Board of Education, May 12, 1919, issued a permanent commission to the high school. This was the only commission of this kind that was given to any school of the county outside the city school system.

By the fall of 1922 a new school, the Sugar Creek Consolidated School, to house pupils in the southern portion of the township, was completed and opened with 180 students. The cost was $45,220 for construction and $15,742 for plumbing & heating.

In May 1926 bonds for $55,000 were sold to meet the contract for a modern gymnasium to be added to the Concannon School.

In 1936, an addition of a gymnasium to the Consolidated Grade School was built with local and federal funds.

In 1933, the Concannon High School became a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. This was the only township school in Vigo County admitted to this organization, which ranked the school first in the educational rating of the township schools of Vigo County.

The two modern consolidated high and grade school built in Sugar Creek were forward-looking schemes for the academic, vocational, and recreational education of the rural youth of the township. The schools have served as social centers with the very best of American traditions placed within reach of every family and home in the township. Indeed the schools have served the students well!

Condensed by Elizabeth (Concannon) Schmidt, from Edna (Lloyd) Concannon's thesis #338, for Indiana State Teachers College, Terra Haute, Indiana. Graduate School for Master of Science Degree in Education in 1938.

TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS IN 1915-1916

Local Name	District Number	Number of Teachers	Enrollment	Location
Schee	1	1	78	Barnhart Road in extreme northeast part of township
St. Mary's	2	1	103	Village of St. Mary-of-the-Woods
Rippetoe	3	1	30	In northwest corner of the township
Clearwater	4	1	44	On Paris Road, west of Liggett
Curley	5	1	30	On Gannon Road, 2 miles northwest of Stop 4
Popp	6	1	49	North of National Road, 3 miles west of West Terre Haute
McFall	7	1	15	On Darwin Road, 2 miles southwest of Toad Hop
Robinson	8	1	16	On Robinson Road, ½ mile south of National Road
Black	9	1	24	On Crews Road, 1½ miles north of National Road
Cassaday	10	1	54	On Darwin Road, near State Line
Taylorville	11	3	297	In Taylorville, on the Wabash River
Ferguson Hill	12	2	134	On Gannon Road, near Stop 4
Whitcomb Heights	13	3	148	On Whitcomb Heights, ½ mile west of St. Mary's Road
Toad Hop	14	1	70	At Toad Hop, west of West Terre Haute
Marion Heights	15	1	53	On St. Mary's Road, north of Pennsylvania R. R.
Township House	16	1	46	On Paris Road, 2½ miles west of West Terre Haute

SUPERINTENDENTS OF VIGO COUNTY SCHOOLS

1915 - 1938

James Propst 1914-1922
Leroy Fair 1922-1929
James G. Fagin 1929-1933
Harold E. Moore 1934-1936
Clarence Pound 1936-

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES OF SUGAR CREEK TOWNSHIP

1915 - 1938

Thomas Concannon 1915-1922
James Hurst 1923-1926
William Bell 1927-1934
James Wefler 1935-1938

PRINCIPALS OF THE CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL

1917 - 1938

Walter Worth Harvey 1917-1924
J. Ord Fortner 1924-1927
Walter Worth Harvey 1927-1928
Hazel Jane Davis 1928
James G. Fagin 1928-1929
Carl Wise Holler 1929-1930
Hazel Jane Davis 1930
Walter Mehringer 1930-1931
A. D. Montgomery 1931-1935
H. M. McCullough 1935-1936
Charles Wefler 1936-

FACULTY OF CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL
1916-1938

FACULTY	YEARS OF TEACHING AT CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL																					
	1916-1917	1917-1918	1918-1919	1919-1920	1920-1921	1921-1922	1922-1923	1923-1924	1924-1925	1925-1926	1926-1927	1927-1928	1928-1929	1929-1930	1930-1931	1931-1932	1932-1933	1933-1934	1934-1935	1935-1936	1936-1937	1937-
Hazel Davis	xxx	xxx			xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Hazel Shaper		xxx	xxx																			
Carrol All		xxx																				
Walter Neill		xxx	xxx	xxx																		
Pansy Modesitt			xxx	xxx																		
Frances Brettell			xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx				xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	
Jeanette Derby			xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Jessie Wolford				xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx		xx
Harriet Morris						xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx													
Roscoe Pierson					xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx				xxx										
Lovell Moore										xxx												
Mabel Curley												xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx				xxx	xx
Thomas Dorman												xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Mary R. Donovan												xx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Walter Mehringer													xxx	xxx								
Ethel Caldwell													xxx	xxx	xxx							
Claudine Kitch													xxx	xxx	xxx							
Margaret R. All														xx	xxx	xxx	xxx	xxx				
Margaret Gleason																		xxx	xxx	xxx		
Catherine Bennett																			xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Margaret Stanton																			xxx	xxx	xxx	xx
Virginia Price																				xxx	xxx	xx
Russell Scott																				xxx	xxx	xx
Charles Wefler																				xxx		
Ralph Davidson																				xxx	xxx	xx
Darrel Weir																					xxx	xx
Mary F. Sharpe																						xx

xx = ½ year

School Faculty

FACULTY OF ONE OF THE COUNTY'S MOST SUCCESSFUL SCHOOLS—Staff which drects the work of Concannon high school: A. D. Montgomery, principal; Mary Ruth Donovan, Jesse Wolford, Hazel Jane Davis, Margaret Stanton, Margaret Gleason, Thomas Dorman, Jeannette Derby, Frances Neill, Catherine Bennett.

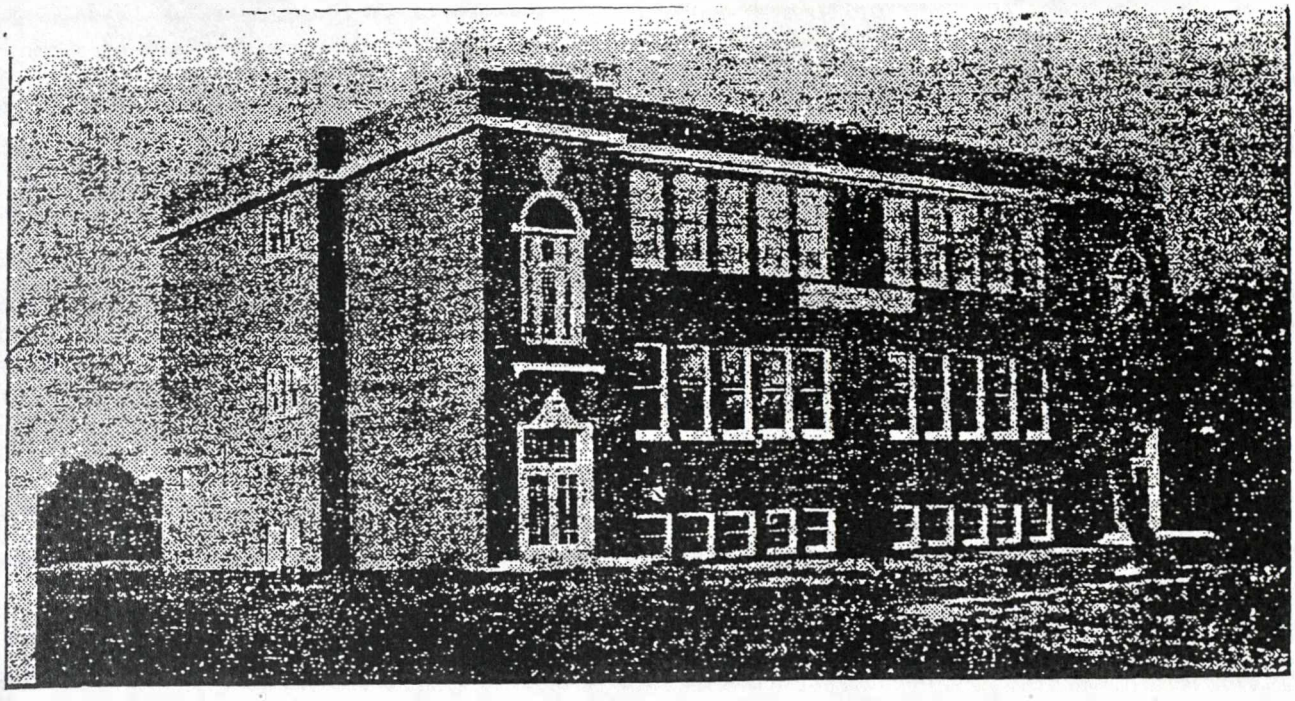
FACULTY MEMBERS AT DRESSER SCHOOL

1948-49

Front row, left to right: Doris Mann and Eva Roberts.
Rear row, left to right: May Sullivan, Margaret Collins, Edna Concannon, principal; Melvin Riggs.

Depression Era Teachers at Dresser

DRESSER SCHOOL in the 1930's – Madge Ketchin, Ester Sims (Smith), Edna ConCannon, Gertrude Hurst (Downey), Elizabeth Silcox (Coveleskie), and Eva Brown (Roberts) were members of the faculty at the school located west of the Wabash River.



SUGAR CREEK TOWNSHIP CONSOLIDATED GRADE SCHOOL.

BY MARY RUTH DONOVAN.

Probably the last word in the way of consolidation of schools in Vigo county, or the entire state or even the nation, for that matter, is typified in the new Sugar Creek township consolidated grade school at the interersection of the National Old Trails and the Darwin roads, was opened at the beginning of the school year in September.

Standing as it does on the main highway across the continent, the imposing building makes a pleasing picture for the many tourists and visitors who pass by it daily, as well as the citizens of the township for whom it has become a source of pride. There are five acres of ground included in the site and they are apportioned into a front lawn, playground and a wooded ravine, all of which are being beautifully developed in the parking plan by a landscape gardener.

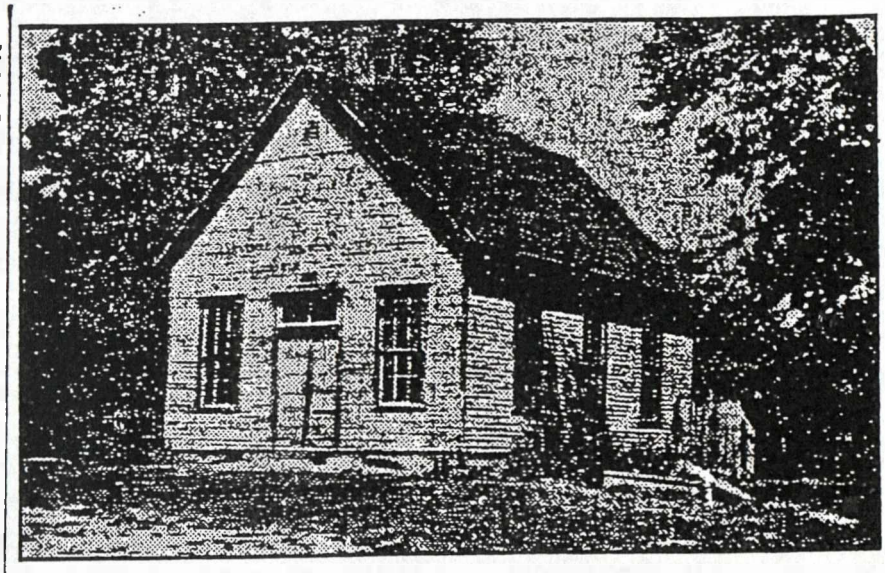
Building of New Type.

The building itself is the newest type of architectural beauty, with 10 large recitation rooms, all properly heated and lighted, besides corridors, lunch rooms, rest rooms, domestic science and manual training rooms. Heat is furnished by a large steam heating plant and water is obtained from deep wells, then supplied to the drinking fountains by pressure tanks. Sanitary toilets have been installed In fact, the building ranks nearly 100 per cent perfect, according to the new state schedule and scoring card.

Old buildings that have been adandoned at its opening vary from 25 to 45 years, in the length of time they have been in service. They are sadly dilapidated, poorly heated and lighted and lacking playground facilities as well as space. There has been, moreover, an unequal distribution of children, one district having an enrollment of 14 with an average attendance of seven, while another had an average daily attendance of 65. Another characteristic of the one-room school was the crowded curriculum of all grades, which made it almost impossible to secure competent and well trained teachers.

The schools abandoned are: District No. 6, the Popp school; District No. 7, the McFall; District No. 8, the Robinson; District No. 9, the Black, and District No. 10, the Cassady.

Eight conveyances are provided for the transportation of the pupils, one motor car and seven school wagons, all of which are handled by careful drivers. This building thus centralizes all of the southern and western parts of the township, the northern part having been centralized five years ago, when the Concannon high and grade school was erected at Ferguson hill.



POPP SCHOOL, DIST. NO. 6. TYPICAL ABANDONED SCHOOL.

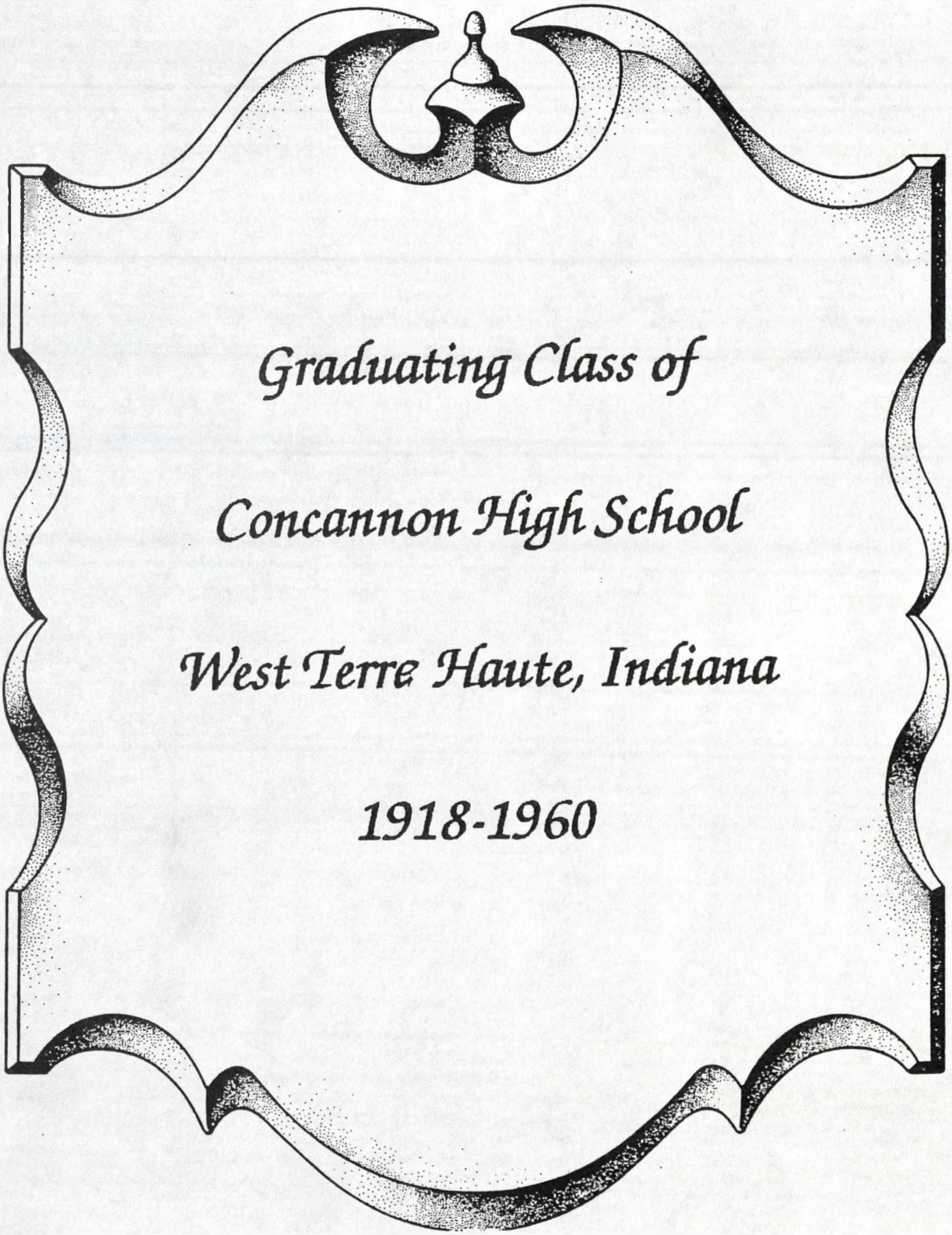
Patrons Take Interest.

Social life in the community is extended to the patrons and parents through the parent club. All community gatherings are housed in two rooms that are thrown together by means of a folding partition. Recently the club bought a piano and opera chairs to furnish these rooms for their own meetings and for the convocation period of the school. They have aided in the purchase of books for the library, which has been converted into a community library and is rapidly increasing in size and extent of influence. The club intends to assist further in the provision of adequate playground equipment.

In many ways the social influence of the newer type of school affects the individual lives of the pupils. Increasing the number of pupils of a common size in the various grades makes it possible to introduce many new games under the supervision of play that is given by the instructors. The pupils are found to be enthusiastically responsive to all efforts and the large space allotted for playground purposes is used to the fullest extent daily. A new sense of social responsibility as well as a feeling of interest in community enterprises with the self-reliance and assurance necessary to take a successfully active part in them is instilled into the children who are fortunate enough to attend the institution.

Mrs. Bertha Meredith, principal of the new school, is assisted in the departmental work of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades by Misses Mabel Craig and Esther Smith. Mrs. Irma Kesler has charge of the fifth grade, Miss Jeanne Reilly the fourth Miss Agatha Lindsay the second and third and Miss Margauerite Newman teaches the primary classes.

Through this equalization of work in the graded system, a maximum of efficiency can be obtained for the money expended. The pupils receive more individual attention and instruction and have the opportunity of receiving instruction in such subjects as music, drawing, domestic science, agriculture and manual training. The better citizenship produced is the real benefit to be sought.


Graduating Class of
Concannon High School
West Terre Haute, Indiana
1918-1960

GRADUATES FROM CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 1918

Sadie Rogers
Ray Rogers
Otto Heck

Class of 1919

Nellie Porter
Willard Ellsworth
Jennie Doliana
Homer C. Stock
Ernest Sullivan
Lula Johnson

Class of 1920

Harold Stanton
Clarence Curley
Mabel Curley
Guy H. Stallard
Ethel Lee
Thelma Burwell
Raymond Brown
Robert Williams

Class of 1921

Ethel Scott
Sarah Potts
Frances Newport
Chris Porter
Mary Frances Baughman
Blanche Garred
Eva Garred
Edward Callahan
Mary Heck

Class of 1922

William Newport
Thomas Dorman
Fred Thralls
Wm. Frazier, Jr.
Mae Henderson
Margaret E. Hill
Mrs. Ada Chadwick
Frances Crichfield

Class of 1923

Arvel H. Larson
Arthur Corzetto
Nellie Lee
Albert Stanton
Margaret Douglas
Velma Pigg
George Lee Berry
M. Helen Pope
Jack Silcock

Class of 1924

Edith Cates
Talitha McClain
Elmer Johnson
Joseph Wren
Ruth Hill
Joseph Johnson
Florence Nicholson
Ceo Eller
Violet Ketchem
Thomas Curley
Gladys E. Dooley

Class of 1925

Grace Nicholson
Mabel Broadhurst
Olive Clark
Barka Rodgers
Michael Wren
Homer Evinger
William Pea
Leslie Conine *

Class of 1926

Elizabeth Silcock
Catherine Kuykendall
Mildred Miller
Robert Chisler
Nellie Tison
Margaret Webb
Dayton Fortner
Russell Wellman
Charles McBride
Albert Corzetto
Paul Newport
Winfield McClung

Class of 1927

Madge I. Ketchem
Helen Potts
Ernestine Evinger
Harold McCullough
Marvin J. Webb
Thelma Tilley
Anne Allison
Bonnie L. Worrell
Annette Castle
Lucile Soughers
Laverne Spencer
Frances M. Stevenson
Dorothy Rogers
Mary McBride
Lillian Burns

Harold Debord
John W. Broadhurst
L. Everett Evinger
Robert Art
Eugene Bennett
Ione Ollen West

Class of 1928

Eugene Hand
Mrs. Mae Joab Sullivan
Lucille Joab
Eva Brown
Catherine Bennett
Dorothy Switzer
Robert Broadhurst
Florence Art
Francis Keith
Hazel Ault
Josephine Powers
Louis Helman
Louis Heck
Herman Baker
Ethelyn Hargis
James Wren

Class of 1929

Neil Callahan
Raymond Hargis
George Ketchem
Robert King
Carl Pearson
Marion Rice
Herbert Schynder
Charles Soughers
Leslie Bennett
Ruth Bailey
Jennie Brown

Class of 1929

Elizabeth Coburn
Jennie Ellingsworth
Mary Frey
Hilda May
Marjorie May
Louise McClung
Opal Misner
Ethelberta Ross

Class of 1930

Carl Applegate
Ervin Baker
Elizabeth Bennett
John Bennett
Winifred Burgan
Loran Coons
Opal Cunningham
Roy Davidson
Henry Farrimond
Janet Lyons
Mary MacDonald
Paul Joab
Edward Roberts
Thomas Silcock
Dorothy Smith
Raymond Vermillion
Robert Webb
James McCullough *

Class of 1931

Vernice Applegate
John Belfi
Irene Brown
Verner Certain
Grace Coburn
Carlisle Crockett
Lawrence Ellsworth
Isaac Fulmer
Daniel Isaac

Leslie Kennedy
Beatrice Love
Leslie Milner
Edith Murden
Lucille Nicholson
Andrew O'Dwyer
Cecil Perkins
Thelma Pickrell
William Rodgers
Maxine Spencer

Class of 1932

Raymond Art
Woodrow Baker
Donald Barton
Irma Brackall
Joseph Brown
Lester Coons
Evelyn Crews
John Crews
Eugene Crynes
Doris Cubby
Pearl Evans
Bernard Fisher
Joseph Floyd
Audrey Freed
Wanda Greenlee
Leona Henderson
Forrest Irwin
Selma Isaac
Mary Johnson
Harvey Kahl
Earl Keith
Paul Kerstiens
Joseph Kuleza
Carmen Lake
Elizabeth N. Neidlinger
William Rogers
Harry Roth, Jr.
Delbert Schnyder
Margaret Setzer
Florence Silcock

Herschel Webb
Cornelius Wren
Wilma Williams
Edward Mulhearn

Class of 1934

Sarah Armstrong
Mary Aue
Virginia Bailey
Helen Bird

Vincent Brimley
Helen F. Concannon
Granville Cooley
Robert Crews
Reba Crynes
Violet C. Cummins
Raymond Evinger
Julia Farley
George Helman
Wendell Hicks
Virgil Highsmith
Cloyd Isle
Louise Johns
Elizabeth Kahl
Herman Kuhn
Carl Moeller
Mary Mulhearn
Andrew Murden
William Roberts
Ruth Ellen Smith
Helen Soughers
Bertha Steppe
Bernice Travioli
Irene Vermillion
Elwood Vicars
Leonard Wren
Edward Wrin
Leroy Fields

Class of 1933

Robert Adelsberger
Maxine Majors
Violet Umphrey - dec
Marcella Vicars
Rosemary Smith
Theodore Davidson - dec
Jean Barton
Letha Mae Kennedy
Marianna Concannon - dec
Gertrude Powers - dec
Doris E. Fields
Ruth Sanders
Henry Helman
Julius Schnyder - dec
Olive Page dec

Vallie Martin
Robert Jean
Albert Gray - dec
Marguerite Certain - dec
Olive Cummins
Russell Isle
John Wren - dec
Roberta Vermillion
Clarence H. Morge - dec
Louis Dunbar - dec
Frances Scheer - dec
Horace Davidson

Class of 1935

Frank Allen
Jay Callahan
Phyllis Vicars
Mildred Philabaum
Arnold Brown
Marcella Vermillion
Raymond Burgan
Jimmima D. Douglass
Rose Evans
Frances Welch
Dorothy Ross
John Ketner

Riley LeMay
John Newport
George Brown
Howard Ridenour
Margaret Ward
Mary Alfreda Roberts
Edna Bailey
Wayne Galiez
Beulah Ault
Marguerite Irwin
Edith Stogsdill
Miriam Porter
Lily LeMay
Mary Deming
Alson Abrams
Leona McBride
Lula Case
Loretta Hennigan
Wanda Barnhart
Howard Fick
Woodrow Summers
Donald Laymen
Paul Streeter
Mildred Kibler
Cora Castle
Alma Naugle
Josephine Kulesza
Gertrude Dillion
Evelyn Watts
Otto Aue
Leo Newell
Johnnie Barotto

Class of 1936

William A. Aue
Glenn Floyd
Frances Joab
Pearl Ramsey
Joe Kahl
Logan Tatlock
Edward Black
Catherine Biddle

Louise Thralls
Wesley Pearson
Gertrude Robinson
Louise Bradford
Nellie Swift
Frances Art
Foster Thompson
Albert Lane
Alfred Delaunois
Asel O. Travioli
Garnette Fields
Fred Walsh
Robert Bodine
Jack Beach
DuWayne Helman
Catherine Kulesza
Mary Helen Scott
Betty Turner
Roseann Tweedy
Mary C. Ridenour
Stella Rector
Phyllis Ruth Carson
Kenneth Kibler
Emma Mae Evinger
Nina Beth Floyd
Margaret Bodine
Sam Newport
Mary Frances Abrams
William E. Ward
Richard Waugh

Class of 1937

John Abrams
Virginia Anderson
Richard Barnhart
Arnold Bennett
Rita Bisch
James Brackall
Helen Callahan
Jesse Carson
Norman Cole
Genevieve Cox
Harold Cox
Virginia Douglas
Virginia Eller
Cornelius Enright
John Enright
Floy Evans
Maurice Fuqua
Anna Jane Gallez
Helen Gallington
Robert Highsmith
Frank Kahl
James Lane
John Lewis
Dorotha Medley
Ernest Morgan
Ruth Morgan*
Frances Philabaum
Richard Philabaum
Mary Esther Porter
John Southerland
Doris Vermillion
Maurice Wren
Roscoe Waugh

Class of 1938

Frances Akers
Leo Anderson
Ethel Armstrong
Pauline Arnold
Loren Barnhart
Lucile Black
Lucien Bouteleux
Jerie Dorman
Alice Farrimond
June Fuller
Maru Edith Hockett
Juanita Holbert
Marie Horton
Helen Joy
John Kasameyer
Irvin Keeler
George Henry Kesler
Leo Lake
Lorraine Laufman
William Long
Herbert Love
James O'Dwyer
Mary Ogborn
Alma Page
Don Ramsey
Warren Ridenour
Harry Rodgers
Nina Shuman
Reese Tweedy
Pauline Vicars
Leslie Stewart
Richard Silcock
Cleo Walden
Virgil Weir

Class of 1939

Abrams, Robert J.

Anderson, Kenneth H.

Bailley, Muriel Fay
Bennett, Mae M.
Blackburn, Helen Jayne

Bray, Mary M.
Case,Blanche R.
Cawvey, Eugene E.
Chrisman, Rosemary
Cole, Betty Jean
Coveleskie, ?Frank
Cox, Mildred
Downing, Ralph E.
Etling, Betty Jane

Evinger, Dean A.
Evinger, Mona J.
Fischer, Mary Lucile
Foradori, Mary A.
Foster, James May
Franklin, Betty L..
Frazier, George T.
Gallington, Donald Arthur
Gray, Frances Ann
Hamilton, Joy
Hargis, William W.
Harris, Patricia R.
Isle, Leonard
Joab, Helen
Johnson, Carl
Jones, Bessie Helen
Keith, Rose
Kuleza, John
Layman, George
Long, Ernest
Majors, James B.
Medley, Clarence V.
Medley, Curtis A.
Morgan, Jesse
Neidlinger. George Earl
Reynolds, Violet Eleanor
Ridenour, Marjorie L.
Roberts, Richard E.
Sanders, Virginia Evelyn
Sanders, Zola
Slater, Doris May

Smith, Charles E.
Smith, William
Southerland, Richard
Wake, Mary Louise
Wasson, John A.
Waugh, Betty Louise
Williford, Bill
Winters, Marjorie May

Class 1940

Arnold, Russell
Barton, Richard
Bennett, Ray
Bodine, David
Bradford, Wanda
Burns, Gertrude
Callahan, Carmelita
Callahan, Mary
Callahan, Paul
Camp, Lillian
Carson, Mary Louise
Collins, Bob
Chrisman, Richard
Delaunois, Albert
DeMougin, Lawrence
Eller, Dorothy Jane
Everly, Joe
Highsmith, Virginia
Higgins, Gertrude
Hinds, William
Horton, Waneta Evelyn
Jefferys, Jean
Johnson, Alice C.
Johnson, Thelma
Kuykendall, Earl
Lane, Marion
LeForge, Eilleen
McCullough, William
Matlock, Bertha
Misner, Edwin
Moeller, Frederick W.
Myers, Dorothy
Partlow, Vernon
Ray, Michael
Rector, Charles
Rice, Loretta
Rodgers, Helen
Roper, William
Sauer, Joseph
Schmidt, Richard
Schwab, Richard
Stepp, Theodore
Steppe, Anna
Sutton, Sarah
Stewart, Charles
Stultz, Norman
Thralls, Albert
Turner, Bill
Vicars, Lenora

Class 1941

Adelsberger, Margaret
Art, George
Barton, Bill
Bigger, James
Blackburn, Ruth
Brown, Bill
Brown, George
Brown, Norman

Cates, Howard
Cole, Don'
Collins, Paul
Concannon, Clotilde
Corenflos, Eugene
Corenflos, Jack
Evinger, Grace
Farrimond, Ethel
Forster, Dorothy
Fortune, Donald
Fyfe, Tom
Harris, Marion
Hockett, David
Hockett, John
Holbert, James
Horner, Bette
Hunter, Anna
Johnson, Bill
Kuykendall, James
Lake, Robert
Liffick, Dorothy
Lyon, Christina
McKinney, Daniel
McKinney, James
O'Dwyer, Tom
Parrisih, Bob
Rodgers, Carl
Scott, John
Southerland, Frances
Stanton, Margaret
Stanton, Mary Jane
Summerlot, Max
Taylor, Maurice
Throckmartin, Roberta
Umphrey, Junior
Waugh, George
Williford, Rosemary
Wyrick, Charles

Class 1942

Anderson, Rosemary
Barton, Wilbur
Beach, Maxine
Bennett, Hilda
Bisch, Joe

Bland, Paul
Bose, Wannitte
Camp, John Earle
Chadwick, Mary Frances
Chrisman, Georgeanna
Cox, Cyrus
Crockett, Dale
Dawson, Freda
DeMougin, Ernest
Eller, Imogene
Ellsworth, Bill
Fick, Alma
Flinn, Robert
Fields, Bob
Hamilton, Anthis
Hamrick, Violet
Hargis, Ernest
Hicks, Richard
Isle, Hazel
Johnson, Albert
Johnson, Alfred
Johnson,Mary Rose
Kahl, Robert
Kasameyer, Oscar
Kopp, Grace
McKinney, Agnes
McNeill, Marian
Misner, Dean
Misner, Max
McCullough, Lee
Mullen, Betty
Mulvihill,Joan
Mulvihill, Patricia
Philabaum, Margaret
Ramsey, Taylor
Snedeker, Jean
Schmidt, Robert
VonKannon, Margaret
Waldon, Mona Vaughn
Wyrick, Irene

Class 1943

Akers,Margaret Mae
Anderson, Eileen
Armstrong, Rebecca Ruth
Aue, Carl
Bashe, Charles
Bisch, Jack
Bowden, Harold
Burns, James
Certain, Alice
Clark, Selma
Collins, Mary Ruth
Coveleski, Anna Ruth
Cox, Joe
Cox, Ruby Mae
Darling, Betty
Enochs, Murphy
Everly, Mary L.
Flanagan, Joe
Fleener, Harold
Forster, Martha Jane
French, Thelma R.
Fuller, Colleen
Fyfe, Helen M.
Grinslade, Helen Ina
Lake, Earl
Lark, Bill
Liffick, Fenton
Lindsay, Noel Jr.
McCarty, Dorothy Roberta
May, June Rosemary
O'Dwyer, John
Smith, Caryl
Smith, James R.
Stark, David
Steppe, Lena
Stewart, Dorothy Maxine
Taylor, Eugene
Thompson, Margaret J.
Turner, Dorothy A.
Wake, Betty J.
Wake, Erma Elizabeth
Wilson, William

Class 1944

Abrams, Merrill Arthur
Anderson, Alice Marie
Anderson, Florence
Astley, Robert Lee
Burns, Pearl Irene
Callahan, Francis Daniel
Concannon, Elizabeth
Cox, Paul E.
Dawson, Charlene
Fi elds, Max
Fields, Richard L.
Horton, Roy E. Jr.
Gallington, C. Robert
Irwin, Virginia Rose
Langford, Charlotte Nadine
Lee, Gerald Edward
Lowe, Norman Lee
Medley, Mary Frances
Ramsey, Fred E.
Rodgers, Earl Clayton
Runkle, Franklin A.
Silcock, Robert Joseph
Waldon, Rosetti Jean
Waugh, Bertha Minnie
Yakel, Annetta May

Class 1945

Astley, Verna Jo
Barkley, Melvin
Beel, Lester
Briml;ey, James
Clark, Betty
DeMougin, Phyllis
Dickerson, Richard
Dowdy, Lois E.
Eldridge, Eugene
Elkins, Ruth
Fields, Bill
Forster, Mary Alice
Froschauer, Thelma
Hamilton, Mary
Highsmith, Buddy
Isaacs, Bill
James, Selma
Joslin, Kenneth
Kellett, Ellen
Mays, Marjorie
Mullen, Alice Mae
Mulvihill, Rosemary
Pennington, Madelyn
Price, Dorothie Jane
Shoemaker, Emilie
Smith, Marjorie
Stark, Bill
Stark, Ed
Tatlock, Aligera
VErmillion, Barbara
Wheatfill, Carroll

Class 1946

Anderson, Ernest
Anderson, Mildred Ruth
Barton, Norma Ruth
Beel, Clarene
Bigger, Robert
Brown, Roberta Jean
Bryan, Rema Gertrude
Camp, Dortha Jane
Carpenter, Maxine E.
Church, Lois M.
Davis, Martha Frances
Enochs, Dorothy Evelyn
Everly, David
Eyre, Betty Lou
Glick, Phillip James
Hargis, Imogene
Higgins, Hilda Mae
Isaacs, Mildred Louise
Isle, Glen
Johnson, Dorothy Louise
Johnson, Robert Ray
Joslin, Ramona Catherine
Kellett, Joan
Kester, Robert Lee
Lowe, Laura Mae
Lockard, Barbara Joan
McClain, Julia Ann
Misner, June Marie
Penman, Paul J.
Perkins, Dolores Yvonne
Phillips, Arthur Jr.
Price, Dora Irene
Edna Mae Ramsey
Smith, Mary Catherine
Stiles, Maurine Ramona
Waldon, Genevea B.
Wilsonb, Daniel
Wright, Barbara

Class 1947

Bailey, Delores
Bright, Mary F.
Canada, Jack
Fleener, Clarence
Forster, Ernest
Glickm Richard
Hamrick, William
Hargis, Lulu
Hogue, Rebecca
Horsley Jack
James, Gomer
Jones, Donald
Klueh, Leon
Kleush, Rudy
Hargis, Lulu
North, Betty A.
Pennington, Bill
Perkins, Eugene
Phelps, Lenora
Slover, Billy
Smith, Jimmy
Stewart, Pauline
Stiles, Quentin
Sullivan, Bobby
Sullivan, Donald
Sybert, Stella
Throckmartin, Erma
VonKannon, Vera
Waldon, Christina

Class 1948

Abrams, June
Anderson, Joe
Belskamper, Jean
Bowden, Gladys
Bray, Joe
Brimley, Joanna
Camp, Paul
Elmerick, Betty
Frazier, Wayne
Fuller, Jack
Harden, Delores
Highsmith, Martha
Isaacs, Cora
Isle, Harold
Johns, Betty Jo
Liffick, Virginia
Lockard, Jean
Maher, Mary R.
Pennington, Mary Edith
Perkins, Loretta
Pruiett, Daisy
Robinson, Doyne
Ross, Jack
Steppe, Edna
Tatlock, Anna Mae
Timbs, Ella Mae
Vermillion, Bob
Vicars, Jack
Webster, Jerry
Weir, Charlotte

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Class 1949

Anderson, Helen R.
Atterson, Goldie Leona
Branaman, Agatha Ann
Brimley, Jean
Byrer, Mildred Lorina
Certain, Joann
Clark, James A.
Cox, Mary Ann
David, Viola Marie
Duncan, Belle Louise
Flinn, Marjorie A.
Forster, Evelyn Rose
Froschauer, Betty E.
Highsmith, Mary Eleanor
Jackson, Lois Ann
May, LesterLee
McDaniel, Elizabeth Ellen
McManus, James
Mulvihill, Thomas
O'Brien, William John
Osborne, William Frederick
Penman, Donald Eugene
Powers, Jo Ann
Ramsey, Norma Jean
Robinson, William Francis
Sims, Gerald Robert
Stiles, Philip G.
Waldon, Patricia Ellen
Walters, Nora Mae
Williams, Imogene J.
Williams, Richard E.

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Class 1950

Blackburn, Barbara Jean
Bodine, John
Carpenter, Patsy Ruth
Cox, Joann
Eames, Robert Lee
Fischer, Bernard
Grabbe, Ida Stella
Grabbe, Lyda Jane
Hargis, Wanda Faye
Herring, Harold Edwin
Horsley, Ruthann
Jackson, Robert Lewis
Kirby, Winston, Earl
Klepser, Reva Marcene
Lewis, Chancey LeRoy
McClain, Selma Margaret
McCullough, James Dale
Maher, Simon
Mareter, Evelyn
Mays, Vivian Marie
Milton, James William
Parsons, Margaret Ann
Pearson, Charles J.
Perkins, Mary Ruth
Raley, Robert Leon
Smith, Robert Ray
Slover, Ronald Gilbert
Stubbs, Dean
Umphries, Claude Morris
Watson, Mary Louise
Webster, Mack Morris
West, Billie Lee

Class 1951

Anderson, Betty Joann
Anderson, Dorothy
Bauman, Robert Dale
Belskamker, Norma J.
Bennington, Sandra
Bigger, Eva
Bohannon, Donald
Bright, Betty
Brown, Jack
Chadwick, Marilyn
Cooper, Avon
David, Mary
Doolittle, James Robert
Elkins, Betty June
Flinn, Velda
Hargis, Harriet May
Hargis, Harry Jr.
Heyen, Loretta
Fortune, Robert Neil
Johnson, Patricia Lorraine
Kersteins, Betty
Kuykendall, Robert
Kuykendall, Wilma
Pearson, Jerry
Perkins, Barbara
Perkins, James
Reik, Katherine
Sanders, Jack
Smith, Jean
Sullivan Dorothy
Whitaker, Joan
Webster, Mark Monroe

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Class 1952

Baker, Harold
Bildilli, Beverly
Branaman, Newton
Bray, Zella Anna
Case, Henry
Carpenter, Jane
Carpenter, Jean
Clark, Floyd
Collins, Richard
Cooley, Donald
Dalton, Elsie
Dunbar, William
Dunfee, Harry
Elkins, Billy Joe
Findley, John
Foltz, Patricia
Forster, Pauline
Glick, Raymond
Gummire, Berlin
Hargis, James
Hartsock, Gerald
Herring, Mary Ellen
Highsmith, Shirley
Houck, David
Kasameyer, Helen
Laycock, Jeannette
Lowe, Peter
Marter, John
McClain, Sarah
Philips, David
Ramsey, Robert
Rickette, Betty
Robertson, William
Shanks,Robert
Shirely, Shirley
Waldon, Anita
Wefler, Mary Ann

Class 1953

Andree, Joanne
Badertecher, David
Bennett, Mary
Berry, Robert
Brown, Alice
Burns, Barbara
Dilts, Marilyn
Edington, Herbert
Fischer, Mary
Hadley, Janet
Heyen, Ronald
Kasameyer, Donald
Lowe, Richard
McManus, JoAnn
McMurtrie, JoAnn
Mills, Frank
Nacke, John
Nsapier, Joan
North, Martha
O'Brien, Jerry
Parsons, Mary Lou
Poole, Naomi
Ramsey, Wayne
Tingley, Virginia
Webster, Wilma
Williams, Clarence

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Class 1954

Akers, Dale Edward
Bridgewater, Gayle Edward Jr.
Canada, Robert Leon
Case, Oliver J.
Caserotti, Marilyn Sue
Cox, Mary Carolyn
Drake, Caroline Mae
Eldredge, Monna Marie
Elkins, Rosalie
Fagg, Wilford L.
Flinn, Wilford L.
Flinn, Max
Fuller, Virgie Rae
Green, James L.
Graham, Sue Anne
Heyen, Oma May
Highsmith,Richard Thomas
Hill, Mary Lou
Kasemeyer, David Warren
Kuykendall
Laycock, Betty Ann
Long, James G.
Lough, Phillip
Lowe, Robert
Maher, Roger
Mason, Elizabeth Ardillia
McMurtrie, Dorothy Irene
Newell, Violet May
Pennington, Sharlyn Ann
Petty, Marilyn Sue
Porter, Nadine
Slover, Karen June
Vermillion, Shirley Ann
Phillips, James L.
Roberts, James William
Taylor , James E,.
Williams, James

Class 1955

Abrams, Charles Allen
Baker, Delores Joann
Blair, Donald E.
Cooper, Arnold Vincent
Cox, David E.
DePasse, Virginia Grace
Eaton, Loraine, Eleanor
Fields, Shirley Anne
Fleming, Jane Ann
Froschauer, Linda Lou
Garred, Robert Hansford
Hall, Robert Wendell
Harden, Sally Jo
Helman, Sonja Lea
Isbell, Sharon Anne
King, William Houston
Jeffers, Gertrude Imogene
Lowry, Shirley Jane
McClain, Monsa Lee
McClain, Rosemary Gail
Mopps, Betty Jean
Mopps, Wilbur E.
Murphy, Donna Raye
Macke, Georgia Louise
Percy, John D.
Poppe, Ada Irene
Poole, Linda Lou
Porter, Brooks
Porter, Jack Jr.
Presnall, Joe
Ramsey, Shirley Lee
Ridener, Delbert Ray
Russell, John R.
Sauer, William Paul
Scott, Gerald W.
Sloan, Phyllis Ann
Snyder, Faye
Stinson, Lula Belle
Swinford, Donas Yvonne
Strauss, John Hayden
Streeter, Paul L.
Tarvin, Walter Cecil
Throckmartin, James Arthur
Walden, Mary Elizabeth
Wood, Beverly Joan

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Class 1956

Bildilli, Mary Elizabeth
Barton, Donald L.
Bridgewater, Charles William
Brooks, James Edward
Caserotti, Barbara Ann
Clark, Paul Eugene
Certain, Marsha Kay
Dalton, Nancy Ellen
Daniel, john Alexander
Dnaiel, Owen L. Jr
Delaunois, Paul Robert
Drake, Charles E.
Ellsworth, Patricia Lou
England, Linda Lou
Fagg,Fern Almary
Garred, Charles F.
Hewitt, Reese Prevo
Higgins, Marilyn Sue
Hogue, James L.
House, William Arthur
Isaacs, Jerry Lee
Isle, Ronald Eugene
King, Larry A,
Lasing, John Arthur
Laycock, Frances Ellen
Lindsey, Carolyn Fay
Long, Marilyn Kay
Martin, Hober Harlan
McCullough, Betty Jane
McMurray, Patricia Kay
Meyer, Rosalinde
Morris, Barbara Jean
Obst, John Edward
Perkins, CArolyn Sue
Presnell, Franklin Vernon
Ridener, Linville L.
Roth, Eleanor Jane
Stadler, Alphonse Michael
Swinford, Shirley Ann
Switzer, Joan
Thompson, Forrest Donald
Whallon, Olive Maxine
Whallon, Oliver Robert
Willis, Joann
Wilson, Reba Ann
Wineinger, Norma Lee
Wycoff, Barbara Jean
Yocum, Bill Marion

Class 1957

Akers, Pearl Louise

Allsup, Bobby Leon
Beams, Mary Frances
Boys, James W. Jr
Blair, Dorothy Elizabeth
Bosack, Virignia Lee
Brickey, Harry Lee
Bright, Nancy Rosa
Brown, Delbert Leon
Callahan, John Joseph
Certain, Ronnie Junior
Clark, Charles Richard
Coons, Delores Ann
Cooper, Abner Eugene
Cox, Charles Edward
Frye, James William
Gilbert, Larry D.
Grabbe, Fred
Hedden, Lois Eleanor
Lawrence Carol June
Long, Jerry Wade
McClung, Robert Leland
McKinney, Ruth Margaret
Mills, Beverly Jooan
Pearson, Kenneth Leon
Phillips, Henry W.
Ridenour, David Pierce
Roberts, Charles H.
Robertson, Carl Lee
Robinson, Dale Eugene
Roth, Elizabeth Ellen
Scott, Phyllis Ann Lewis
Shepherd, Lola Mae
Shores, Robert Dean
Sloan, Carolyn Jane
Smith, Arthur Robert
Throckmartin, Harold Leon
Tingley, Judith Kay
Wefler, Harriett Sue
Whallon, Oscar Calvin
Wolfe, Carolyn Mae
Wyrick, John Russell
Worthington, Carolyn Marie

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Class 1958

Anderson, Patricia Jo
Auterson, Albert Lee
Badertscher, Harold Lee
Barnhart, Russell Dean
Bland, Shelby Jeanb
Bolin, Dexter Lee Jr.
Branson, Patrick James II
Brown, Doris Irene
Brown , Leon
Clark, Ernest Lee
Dalton, Robert Eugene
Stavis, Barbara Fay
Fagg, Richard
Fischer, Carolyn Marie
French, Barbara Jean
Garred, Darl Gene
Gregg, Donald William
Hardin, Larry Richard
Heyen, Otis Jr.
Keith, Marilyn
Lamb, Leona Rose
Lehman, Larry Joe
Linoal, Carole
Maher, Thomas Richard
Malone, Jacqualine Belle
Maskell, Robert Eugene
Mason, Elmer Leon
McCarty, Ruth Ann
Meyer, Anna Arlene
Mopps, Alice Theresa
Owen, Sharon Faye
Philpi,Marcell Rose
Phillips, Patricia J.
Porter, joseph
Railsback, Ronald
Ray, James
Ridenour, Richard Eugene
Robinson, Alan William
Robinson, Wanda Lee
Shepherd, Robert Lee
South, Judith Ann
Stitt, Donna Lenora
Tatene, Elizabeth Jean
Thiel, Virginia Lee
Thompson, Raymond Lee
Throckmartin, Sharon Rose
Wake, Judith Elaine
Waldon, Carolyn Lou
Walker, Jesse
Walker, Lester
Webb, Doris Mae
Wheatfield, Richard
Wyrick,Robert William
Yocum, Janet
Walters, Robert Lee

Class 1959

Akers, Kay Frances
Brown,Brown, Karen L.
Bryan, larry D
Campbell, Robert
Caserotti, James
Chadwick, James
Chestnut, Gary
Cox, Julia Ilene
Cox Mary Ann
Davisdon, Rosa Lee
Dunfee, Samuel
Edwards, James
Fields, Nancy
Fitzpatrick, Patricia
Forster, Carole
Funkhouser, Delbert
Greenlee, Robert William
House, Donald
House, Paul
Jeffers, Don
Jones, Kenneth L.
Jones, Alberta Conley
Kahl, Leroy
Keith, Marvin
Kiburis, Sandra
Knight, Larry
Laycock, Rosemary
Long, Juanita
Long, Richard
McClain, Richard
McMurray, John
Martin, Nancy
Mershon, Frank
Montgomery, Jerry
Parker, James A.
Pes, Larry
Pruiett, David
Ramsey, Charlene
Ramsey, Max
Roberts, Larry
Robertson, Earl
Robinson, Arlene
Ross, Judy Arlene
Sears, Billy
Seprodi, James
Stitt, Phillip
Sutherlin, Ernest
Thompason, Carol
Truxal, Robert
VErmillion, Richard
Walters, Robert
Weir, Jerry
Williams, Arthur
Withem, Dennis
Wright, Beverly

Class 1960

Abrams., Arnold
Akers, Paul
Auterson, Charlotte
Baker, Delores
Bolin, James
Bridgewater, Jerry
Bright, Kay
Brown, Gary
Certain , James

Cooper, Charles
Crockett, Sylvia
Dooley, Eaton
Edwards, Shirley
Eldrege
Fagg, Gary
Fitzpatrick, Tom
Flint, Carol
Frye, Helen
Funkhouser, Danny
Garwood, Norman
Green Mauvie
Greenwood, Carl
Harris, Robert
Hedges, Robert
Heyen, Beverly
Hovis, Virginia
Hunter, Ernestine
Irwin, Joseph
Isle, Gary
Knight, Kay
Lambert, James
Lehman, Donald
Little, James
Lowe, Carolyn
Martinb, Robert
Martin. Sharon
Mc Carty, Marsha
McClung, Don
Mize, Gerald
Morgan, Sharon
Moss, James
Myers, Don
Page, James
Powers, Bonnie
Railsback, Joy
Raley, John
Ramsey, Judy
Reese, Donna
Ridenour, Marsha
Rose, Betsy
Scott, Linda
Smock, Karen
Stark, Marion
Sutton. Mark
Trager, Phyll
Wampler, Mary
Webster, Mary
Weir, Judy
Wilbur, Sharon
Williford, Sha

Thomas P.

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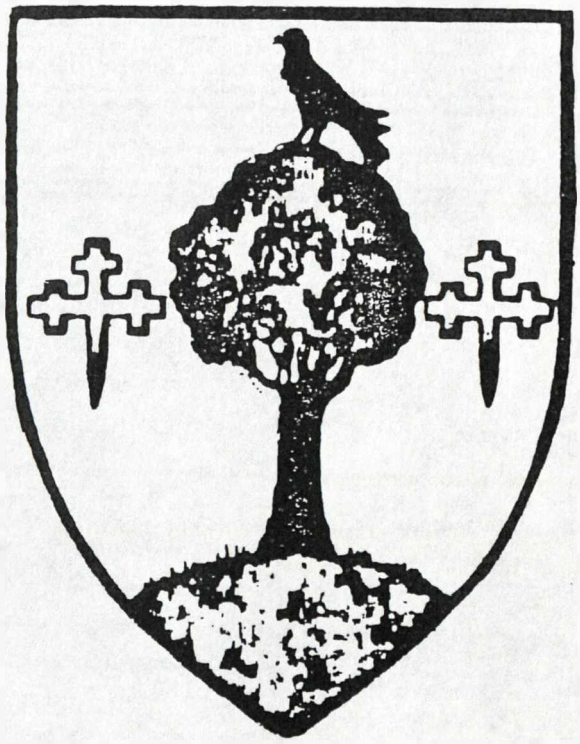
Edna (Lloyd)

Concannon



Thomas P. Concannon

Thomas P. Concannon's parents, Michael and Mary (Marten) Concannon migrated from County Galaway, Ireland into the United States and settled at St. Mary's of the Woods, Indiana where Thomas was born in 1879, he was the fifth child of nine.

Michael Concannon's trade as a cobbler lead him to making boots and shoes for the community at West Terre Haute, Indiana as well as for the nuns of St. Mary of Woods Convent and College.

The Concannons' were also active farmers for many years as well as operating a meat market in West Terre Haute, Indiana.

Thomas P. Concannon married a young school teacher, Edna Lloyd, and they had four daughters. His interests broadened to becoming a building contractor. LaFer Hall on the campus of St. Mary of the Woods, Indiana College and convent, St. Agnes Convent of the Catholic Diocese's of Indianapolis, Indiana, and the Gibalt Home for Boys south of Terre Haute, Indiana were built under his supervision.

Thomas and his wife Edna's dedication to education, and their leadership in the community were instrumental in the development and building of Concannon Grade and High School which were named in honor of them by a concave of the students. Another endeavor was the consolidation of the country schools in Sugar Creek Township, Vigo County, Indiana where he also supervised building the Consolidated School and the Marion Heights Grade School.

Thomas owned the first automobile (Ford) west of the Wabash River in Vigo County. It was said he was quite a wild-speedy-driver with his new fangled horseless carriage.

Thomas, the Irishman with his ruddy complexion and red curly hair made him a familiar figure in the community. He had a love and compassion for his friends and neighbors and his had was always extended to help. He greeted children everywhere he went and they returned the greeting with a friendly "Hi Tom!", much to the embarrassment of their parents, who taught them to address their elders as "Mr".

"Mr. Concannon" was elected and served two terms as Trustee for Sugar Creek Township, Indiana. Being a life long democrate, he always worked for the good of his party and served in the

THOMAS CONCANNON.

Democratic Nominee for Trustee of Sugar Creek Township.

In the roster of Democratic incumbents of public office, who for faithful and efficient discharge of their official duties, have been rewarded with renomination by their party, and who for the same reason will be beyond all probable peradventure likewise re-elected by the intelligent voters of Vigo county, Thomas Concannon, for the past three years the capable trustee of rich and repletely resourced Sugar Creek township, is especially deserving of the favor of the electorate. For Mr. Concannon has given to the taxpayers of West Terre Haute, St. Mary-of-the-Woods and the many villages that comprise the township, the most efficient and economical administration of this important office that they have ever enjoyed.

The total township tax levy for the year 1917 was $1.20 on the $100.00, and in 1918 is but $1.30, or only

an increase of the infinitesimal sum of 2 cents on the $100.00, although the township has but just completed the erection of the largest and handsomest high and grade schools in the state, in a city of like population with West Terre Haute; elegantly furnished and appointed these schools, and secured the services of a larger faculty of teachers at greatly augmented salaries. And notwithstanding the fact, also, that all the supplies necessary for the trustee to purchase in the conduct of this office have more than doubled in price. This splendid showing has been made possible by conducting the trustee's office on correct business methods, with hard work and economy as the axioms of its every day official life.

Thomas Concannon is a scion of one of the old and best esteemed Celtic families of Vigo county, has all his life been a Sugar Creek township farmer, have been his forebears before him.

This brief review of his administration of the office of township trustee would be wholly incomplete did fail to mention that his winsome and capable wife been his courteous and very capable deputy all through his term of office, and her assidious service in capacity has contributed not a little to the success

Edna (Lloyd) Concannon

Edna (Lloyd) Concannon was born in 1890 near Vincennes, Indiana to Edmund D. Lloyd and Anna Moffitt. She moved to Terre Haute, Indiana and graduated from Wiley High School and Indiana State Teacher's College where she was a member of Omega Sorority.

Edna was a teacher in a one-room country school house in Sugar Creek Township, and boarded with the Concannon family where she met Thomas P. Concannon whom she later married. While raising their four daughters, she wrote stories for many newspapers and magazines. She published an international children's magazine called the "Childrens Hour" and also fostered a program which taught better care for babies, "Baby Week". To quote Edna's words, "better babies make for better citizens".

Edna was a life long Democrat and took an active roll in the Women's Suffrage Movement which gave women the right to vote.

When her children were in grade school, Edna returned to teaching in the classroom and also served as principal at the Dresser and the Consolidated Schools. Edna's thirst for knowledge lead her to return to Indiana State Teacher's College where she received her Master's Degree in Education in 1938.

With Thomas and Edna's great faith in the younger generation and working with the youth's parents of Sugar Creek Township they strived to create a fertile educational environment where all youth might have the opportunity to achieve the "good life".

Fostered Baby Week Movement

Indiana is being made "safer for babies."

Districts which knew nothing of how to care for children a year ago have learned at least the first lessons thru the introduction of "baby week."

The person who fostered the movement in Indiana was Mrs. Edward Concannon, St. Mary's road.

A graduate of Wiley High school, she later was given her arts degree from State Normal where she was a member of the Omega sorority.

She has two children of her own. She has always been interested in young people. She has worked hard to make conditions better for babies.

"Because," she told The Post, "better babies will mean better citizens."

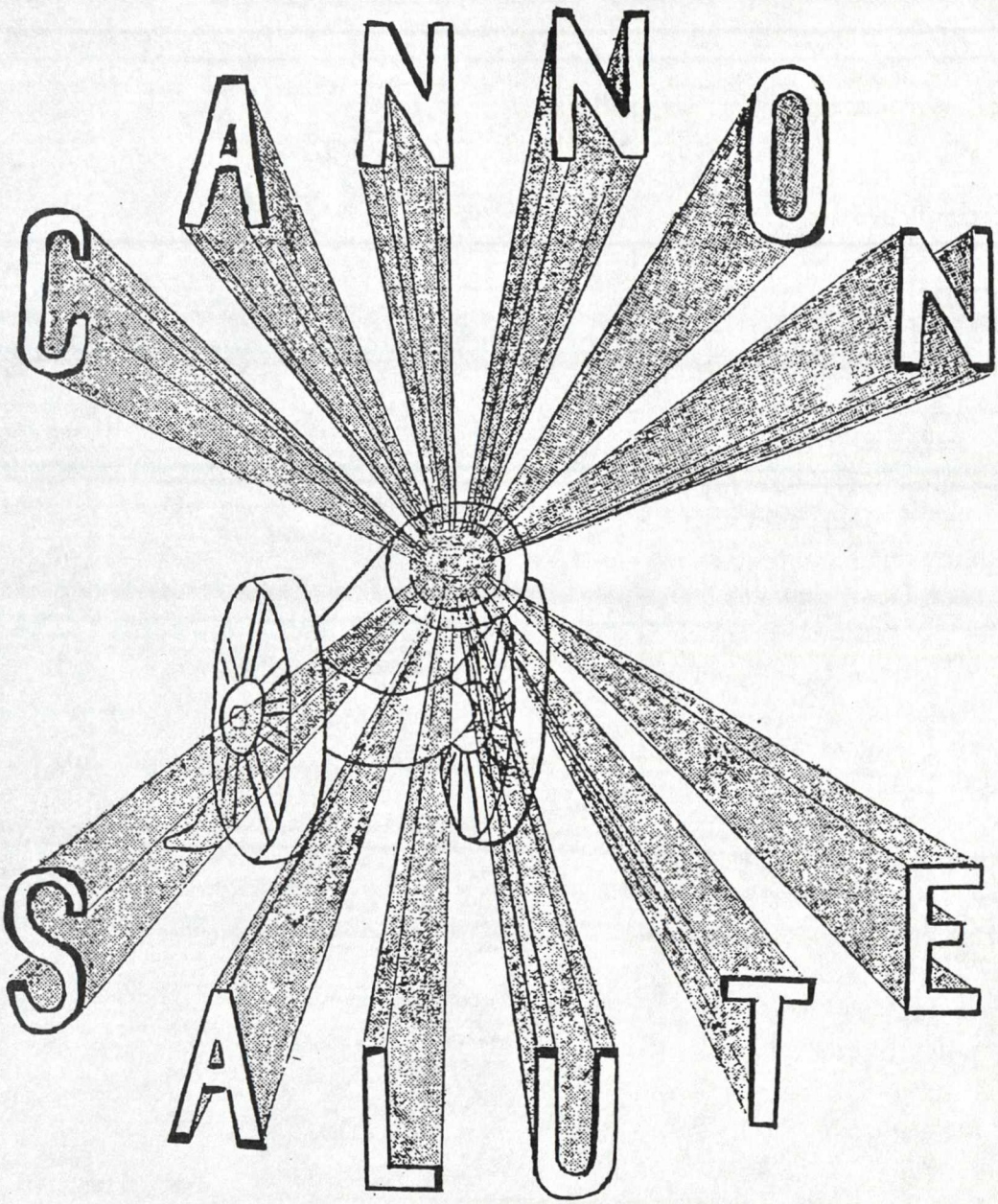
Former Vincennes Woman Publisher of a Magazine

America's newest magazine "The Children's Hour," is edited and published by a former Vincennes woman. Mrs. Edna Lloyd Concannon, of Terre Haute, was form any years a resident of this city where she was born. She was educated in the schools here and was a member of the class of 1908 of the Vincennes

EDNA LLOYD CONCANNON

high school. She removed to Terre Haute in 1908 where she was graduated from the Wiley high school and the Indiana State Normal. After teaching for many years she was married and besides rearing a family of four daughters has given considerable time to juvenile writing. She has written for many of the popular magazines and last spring launched her own publication, "The Children's Hour." Although it has been on the market a very short time it has attained a national circulation and goes into every state in the United States besides Canada and several foreign countries.

A feature of the magazine which is a delight to Vincennes children is the group of Indian stories, called "The Stories of Rising Sun." These stories have for their setting the Sugar Loaf hill which lies east of the city. Frequent mention is made of the winding river and Mrs. Concannon says, "Of course, if you look at your geographies you will find that the winding river is none other than our classic Wabash."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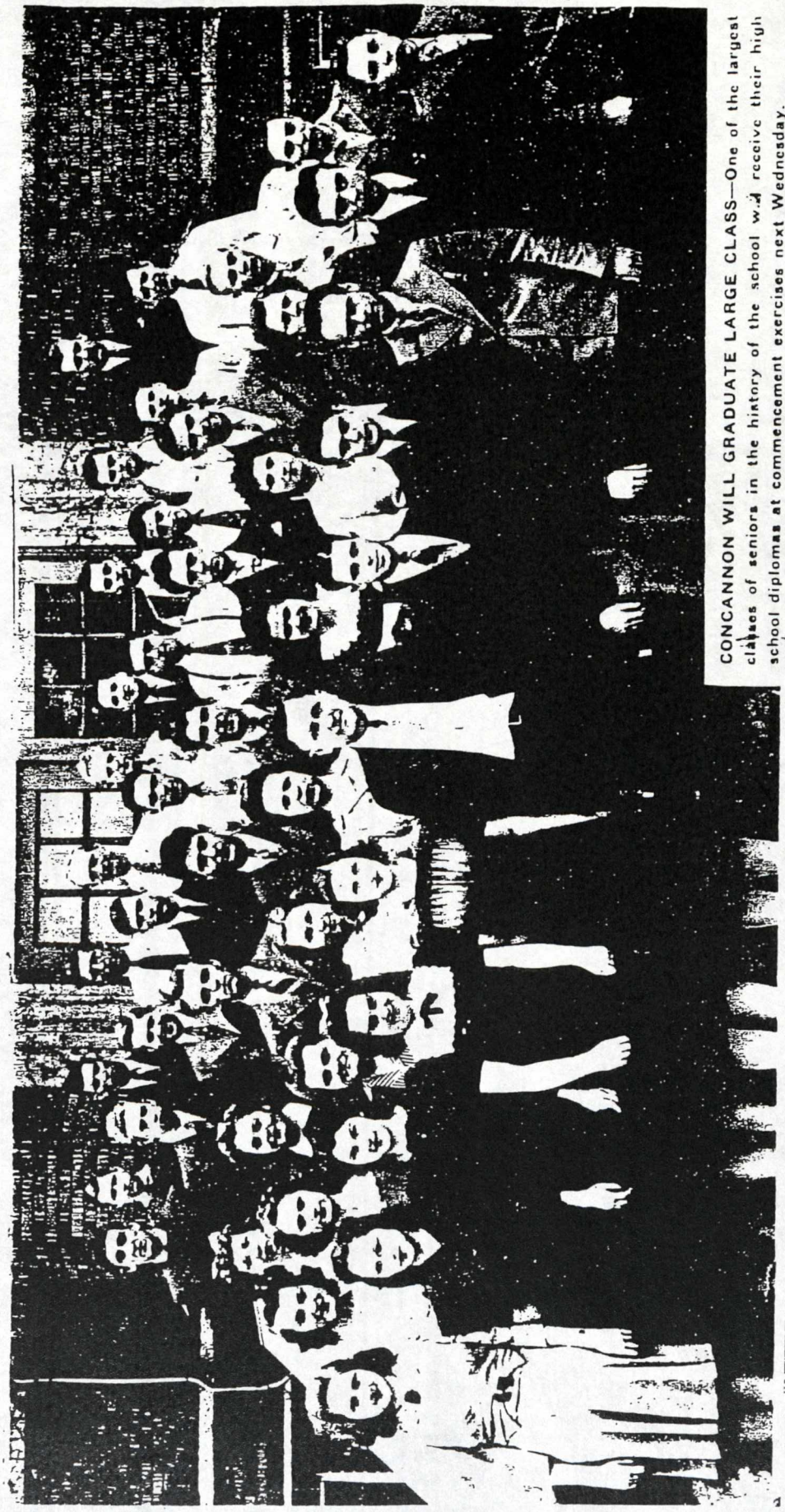
8th Grade Class, 1936-1937

(Graduating Seniors in 1941)

Junior/Senior Banquet 1941

CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET is held in the Mayflower Room of the Terre Haute House. A dance followed.

Senior Class 1941



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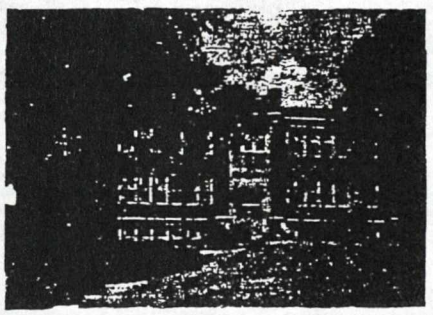

CONCANNON
HIGH SCHOOL
Class of 1941

SENIOR CLASS

Sponsor--Ralph Davidson

Officers

Robert Parrish, President
Marion Harris, Vice-President
Billy Barton, Secretary
Carl Rodgers, Treasurer

Student Council
Robert Lake
Donald Cole
Clotilda Concannon
Roberta Throckmartin

May Queen
Clotilda Concannon

Girls in May Queen Court
Ruth Blackburn
Bette Horner

CLASS ROLL

Margaret Adelsberger
George Art
Bill Barton
James Bigger
Ruth Blackburn
Bill Brown
George Brown
Norman Brown
Howard Cates
Don Cole
Paul Collins
Clotilda Concannon
Eugene Corenflos
Jack Corenflos
Grace Evinger
Ethel Farrimond
Dorothy Forster
Donald Fortune
Thomas E. Fyfe
Marion Harris
David Hockett
John Hockett
James Holbert
Bette Horner
Anna K. Hunter
Bill Johnson
James Kuykendall
Robert Lake
Dorothy Liffick
Christina Lyon
Daniel McKinney
James McKinney
Thomas O'Dwyer
Bob Parrish
Carl Rodgers
John Scott
Frances Southerland
Margaret Stanton
Mary Jane Stanton
Max Summerlot
Maurice Taylor
Roberta Throckmartin
Junior Umphrey
George Waugh
Rosemary Williford
Charles Wyrick

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Margaret Adelsberger
Ethel Farrimond
Carl Rodgers

CLOTILDE CONCANNON IS CROWNED 1941 MAY QUEEN

At the annual May Day exercises Clotilde Concannon was formally crowned May Queen for 1941. The members of her court were: seniors, Betty Horner and Ruth Blackburn; juniors, Anthis Hamilton and Mary Frances Chadwick; sophomores, Betty Jean Trueblood and Anna Merle Horner; freshman, Mary Frances Medley and Elizabeth Concannon. The little flower girls who preceded the May Queen and her court on their entrance to the gymnasium were Barbara Lou Norton, Maryln Sue Petty, Joan McManus, Wilma Webster, and Betty Ann Laycock.

The program was opened with musical selections by the band and glee club. Other offerings that were given for the entertainment of the queen and her court were: rhythm band, primary grades; folk dances by the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eight grades; acrobatics by the seventh and eighth grade girls; the winding of the Maypole by girls from the tenth grade; and a colorful colonial minuet by the tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades. Special numbers were given by Bobby McNeill and Dora Price. The program of dances and music was followed by the recessional of the queen and her court.

The spring flowers with which the gym was attractively decorated and the colorful costumes of the dancers contributed to the delightful entertainment enjoyed by the patrons and friends of the school.

Those who directed the pageant were: Mabel Broadhurst, Beulah Stockwell, Mary Heck, Frances Neill, Mary Frances Sharp, and Margaret Stanton.

BALFOUR HONOR TO BE AWARDED AT COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Balfour Plaque Honor which is the highest award given by our school is awarded to one senior each year at the Commencement exercises. The senior who receives the award, is chosen on the basis of scholarship, loyalty, and achievement in extra-curricular activities for his four years of high school.

During the last week of April each year the presidents of the junior, sophomore, and freshman classes, each member of the student council from the junior, sophomore, and freshman classes, and each member of the faculty nominate in writing two seniors for the Balfour Honor. Later a committee of three members of the faculty appointed by the principal selects as the winner the senior who receives the highest number of points according to a definite schedule of qualifications.

The winner of the 1941 award, who will not be known until commencement night, will have his name engraved on a bronze plaque in the upper hall with the names of the winners of former years. Those whose names are engraved on the plaque are Irvin Keeler, 1938, Patricia Harris, 1939, and Joseph Everly, 1940.

KATHLEEN HUNTER RECEIVES THE D. A. R. AWARD

Kathleen Hunter was the girl chosen from her class to receive the D. A. R. medal this year. She was selected because she possesses to an outstanding degree the qualities of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

"Cavalier Overture". . . . . Merle J. Isaac
"Prelude" . . . . . .Alexander Guilmant
Processional "Inauguration" . . . . . W. D. McCaughey
Concannon Orchestra

Invocation . . . . . .Reverend W. C. Kennedy

"All in the April Evening". . . . . .Lyman Robertson
Girl's Glee Club

Address. . . . . "America Aroused"
Dr. J. Marshall Taxay

Presentation of Awards and Diplomas..C. W. Wefler, Principal
C. A. Pound, Superintendent

"The Nightingales Song". . . . . W. Ganz
Girl's Glee Club

Benediction . . . . . Reverend W. C. Kennedy

Recessional "Inauguration". . . . . W. D. McCaughey
Concannon Orchestra

OUR FACULTY

Charles Wefler. . . . . Principal
Mabel Curley. . . . . Commerce
Hazel Jane Davis. . . . . Science
Ralph Davidson. . . . . Eng. & Latin
Jeanette Derby. . . . . History
Mary Ruth Donovan . . . . . English
Thomas Dorman . . . . . Industrial Arts
Francis Neill . . . . . Music
Russell Mendenhall. . . . . Agriculture
Margaretta Payne . . . . . Home Economic
Mary Frances Sharp. . . . . Music and Art
Margaret Stanton Civics & Physical Education
John Sutton . . . . . Mathematics
Darrell Weir. . . . . .Physical Education
Jessie E. Wolford English & Latin

SENIORS PRESENT "SULPHUR AND MOLASSES"

The seniors successfully presented a three-act comedy "Sulphur and Molasses," their class play, as a matinee, on March 25 and an evening performance on March 27.

Cast

Dr. Lance Fairweather. . . . . .Jimmy Kuykendall
Mrs. Fairweather . . . . . Grace Evinger
Verna Fairweather. . . . . .Clotilde Concannon
Jill Fairweather . . . . . Kathleen Hunter
Dr. Edmund Fairweather . . . . . .John Scott
Zeda Maloney . . . . . Dorothy Forster
Malvina Walters. . . . . .Christina Lyon
Mrs. Ruth Spratt . . . . . Frances Southerland
Oswald Spratt . . . . . Bill Barton
Janice Morgan . . . . . Ruth Blackburn
Archer Turner . . . . . Eugene Corenflos
Mrs. Margaret . . . . . Rosemary Williford
Dr. Crosby Benson . . . . . George Brown
Mrs. Dorothy Goodhue. . . . . .Peggy Stanton
Special Entertainment. . . . . Blue Ridge Mountaineers

Director--Ralph Davidson

MAY DAY PROGRAM

May 20, 1941

Entrance of Queen and Court

Queen. . . . . Clotilde Concannon

Court

Ruth Blackburn
Mary Frances Chadwick
Betty Jean Trueblood
Elizabeth Concannon
Betty Horner
Anthis Hamilton
Anna Merle Horner
Mary Frances Medley

Flower Girls

Barbara Lou Norton
Maryln Sue Petty
Wilma Webster
Betty Ann Laycock
Joan McManus

PROGRAM

1. Musical Selections. . . . . Concannon Band
   Featuring flag swinging by tenth grade girls
2. Rhythm Band . . . . . Primary Grades
3. Handkerchief Dance. . . . . Grades 4, 5, 6
4. Danish Dance of Greeting. . . . . Primary Grades
5. Blossom Time. . . . . Concannon Glee Club
   Come Let Us Dance . . . . . (Dance by ninth grade)
6. Sellenger's Round . . . . . .Grade 7
7. Waltz Clog. . . . . Dora Price and Julia McLain
8. Portland Fancy. . . . . .Grade 8
9. Acrobatics. . . . . .Grade 8
10. Sailor's Hornpipe . . . . . .Bobby McNeill
11. Winding of the Maypole. . . . . Grade 10
12. Colonial Minuet . . . . . .Grades 10, 11, 12

Recessional of Queen and Court

Directed by Mable Broadhurst, Beulah Stockwell, Mary Heck, Frances Neill, Mary Frances Sharp, and Margaret Stanton.

Student Accompanists . . . . Phyllis Coffel and Peggy Stanton

FORTY-SIX SENIORS BECOME MEMBERS OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Another activity at which the 1941 seniors were guests, and which is becoming increasingly popular each year is the alumni reception which was held this year on the evening of May 26 at the Concannon Gym.

Dinner was served at seven o'clock to approximately two hundred seniors, alumni, and guests. The president of the Alumni Association, Louis Heck, and his committee arranged a program which had as its theme "Aeronautics."

CONCANNON AERONAUTICS

Address . . . . . Louis Heck
"Off the Production Line"

"On Wings of Song". . . . . Entire Group

Blessing. . . . . James L. Wefler

Dinner. . . . . "Tanking up"

"Introduction of New Pilots". . . Louis Heck

"Ground Work". . . . . Charles W. Wefler

Welcome . . . . . Patricia Harris
"Taking Off"

Response. . . . . Robert Parrish
"Levelling Off"

"Keeping Under Control". . Mary Ruth Donovan

"Reaching the Goal". . . . . Ralph Davidson

"Happy Landings"

Songs

After the program the rest of the evening was spent in renewing old acquaintances and dancing. The music was furnished by Billy Reese and his orchestra.

JUNIORS ENTERTAIN SENIORS AT MAYFLOWER ROOM MAY 17

One of the most delightful and enjoyable of the senior activities was the annual junior-senior reception. The juniors entertained the seniors and faculty of the entire school with a dance and dinner in the Mayflower Room of the Terre Haute House Saturday evening, May 17, 1941. Special guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Pound, Mr. and Mrs. James Wefler, and Miss Catherine Bennett.

The invocation was given by our trustee, Mr. James Wefler. After the delicious three-course dinner was served, Robert Fields junior class president, welcomed the guests and a response was given by Robert Parrish, senior class president. Short talks were also made by Mr. Pound, county superintendent of schools, and Mr. Wefler principal. Dinner music was furnished by Miss Margaret Hicks and the after-dinner program was concluded with the singing of the school songs by the entire group.

Art Polson and his orchestra played the music for dancing from nine until twelve o'clock. A great deal of credit is due Mrs. Neill and the juniors for providing such a pleasant evening.

ENTIRE SCHOOL . . VISIT DEMING PARK

On Tuesday, May 27, the students of the entire school spent the day at Deming Park. The freshmen and sophomores preferred to take individual lunches while the juniors chose to have theirs together. The teachers, as has been their custom during the last few years, treated the students to ice cream bars.

SENIORS TAKE THEIR BROWN COUNTY TRIP

Following a custom which was established a few years ago, the members of the Senior Class made their annual trip to Brown County October 8, 1940. They were accompanied on the trip by Miss Curley and Mr. Davidson.

The main purpose of the trip was to see and enjoy the beautiful autumn coloring of the Brown County woods. Short visits were made to the zoo, fire tower, and lake. Many of the students especially enjoyed seeing the town of Nashville with its quaint old jail and antique shops. Several bought souvenirs. (Or did they take some at the old jail?)

At noon the group enjoyed a lunch of sandwiches, cookies, and fruit. The school busses were back in Terre Haute about six o'clock and everyone reported a very pleasant trip.

SHADES IS CHOSEN FOR ANNUAL SENIOR PICNIC

On Friday morning, May 23, the Seniors gathered in the school busses to go to the Shades for their annual picnic. Mr. Wefler, Miss Payne and Mr. Davidson accompanied them on their trip. Each student contributed food, and at noon a delicious lunch was served at one long table.

Make the trails in the park, of course, proved to be the most interesting part of the trip. They returned late in the evening, tired but happy after their pleasant outing.

CLASS HISTORY

FRESHMAN YEAR

On Friday, September 10, 1937, ninety-two green freshmen came straggling up Ferguson Hill. Before the bell rang, all were in the halls pulling open doors to learn the number of the rooms. When the bell rang we were guided to the south side of the study hall, which was to be our home room. The boys looked toward the north side of the study hall which the sophs occupied. Some of the boys said, "I know I am going to wear two pairs of pants Monday." They were going to prepare for their initiation.

The ninety-two members of our class were: Margaret Adelsberger, George Art, Max Barnhart, Billie Barton, James Bigger, Ruth Blackburn, Virginia Bowden, Bill Brown, George Brown, Norman Brown, Twila Brown, Howard Cates, Donald Cole, Paul Collins, Clotilda Concannon, Everett Coppell, Eugene Corenflos, Jack Corenflos, Alvin Cox, Mary Belle Crowther, Russel Elkins, Grace Evinger, Ethel Farrimond, Rose Foradori, Donald Fortune, Eunice Frazier, Pauline Froschauer, Thomas E. Fyfe (Jr.), Ernest Hargis, Alfair Harmon, Evelyn Harrington, Marion Harris, Eugene Hawkins, Vera Herman, Dorothy Hines, David Hockett, John Hockett, Wayne Hockett, James Holbert, Bette Horner, Anna K. Hunter, Viola Irwin, Helen Isle, Bill Johnson, Rita Kahl, Lois Kester, Robert Lake, Ernest Lane, Christina Lyon, Mae Lyon, Glen Maples, Waunetta McGranahan, Daniel McKinney, James McKinney, George McCauley, Robert Miller, Neva Mills, Anthony Nacke, Irene Newell, Charles Neuerburg, Merl Neuerburg, Thomas O'Dwyer, Robert Parrish, Anna Quick, Donald Quinn, Wanetta Ray, Carl Rodgers, Wayne Roper, Chester Ramsey, Merlin Roth, John Scott, Betty Shafer, Dallas Sheese, George Smith, Frances Southerland, Frank Spurlock, Peggy Stanton, Mary Jane Stanton, Frederick Stuck, Max Summerlot, Maurice Taylor, Roberta Throckmartin, Orval Umphrey, Franklin Vermillion, Chester Walden, George Waugh, Marjean Wayland, Gerald Williams, Rosemary Williford, Mary Elizabeth Wilson, Drusilla Worthington, Charles Wyrick. From this group we elected our officers: President, George Brown; Vice-president, Don Cole; Secretary, Anna K. Hunter; and Treasurer, Clotilda Concannon.

Our social activites this year consisted of: Two class parties and a picnic at Turkey Run.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

At the beginning of the second epoch, September 9, 1938, the freshmen advanced and took possession of the stronghold of the sophs, this tribe having succeeded to the territory occupied previously by the juniors.

This year twenty-six members failed to return: Max Barnhart, Everett Coppell, Alvin Cox, Mary Belle Crowther, Rose Foradori,

CLASS HISTORY (Continued)

Eunice Frazier, Eugene Hawkins, Viola Irwin, Lois Kester, Mae Lyon, Glen Maples, Waunetta McGranahan, George McCauley, Robert Miller, Neva Mills, Irene Newell, Charles Neuerburg, Merl Neuerburg, Merlin Roth, Betty Shafer, Dallas Sheese, George Smith, Frank Spurlock, Franklin Vermillion, Marjean Wayland, and Mary Elizabeth Wilson. However we gained eight new members: Bill Brackall, Everett Figg, Dorothy Forster, Billy Hosteter, Mary Kopp, James Kuykendall, Leo Lambert, and Junior Ramsey.

Our Sophomore officers were: President, Bill Johnson; Vice-president, Thomas Fyfe; Secretary, Ruth Blackburn, Treasurer, Helen Isle.

Our social activities this year were: . class party and a picnic at Turkey Run.

JUNIOR YEAR

With the beginning of the third epoch, September 8, 1939, several changes were noted. The valiant band who had entered as freshmen, and had conquered the lessons of the sophs, now advanced against and occupied the territory of the juniors.

This year eighteen failed to return: Twila Brown, Russell Elkins, Pauline Froschauer, Ernest Hargis, Alfair Harmon, Evelyn Harrington, Dorothy Hines, Billy Hosteter, Rita Kahl, Mary Kopp, Leo Lambert, Ernest Lane, Anthony Nacke, Donald Quinn, Chester Ramsey, Wanetta Ray, Frederick Stuck, and Gerald Williams. We gained two new members: Dorothy Liffick, and Richard Gowan.

Our officers this year were: President, Bob Parrish, Vice-president, John Scott; Secretary, Ruth Blackburn; Treasurer, Clotilda Concannon.

The special events of the year were our class play, "Everybody's Getting Married," directed by our sponsor, Mr. Davidson (it was a big success); also the Junior-Senior Reception which was held at the Terre Haute House; and student-faculty mixers which took the place of class parties.

SENIOR YEAR

September 7, 1940 began the fourth and final epoch of our campaign for diplomas. The humble band who had invaded the freshmen trenches three years before has now become seniors, the mighty leaders of the realm and the Invincible Class of 1941. How fierce and strenuous had been the struggle is evidenced by these facts and figures: Ninety-two freshmen; forty-six seniors, fifty per cent or exactly one of every two who had started perished somewhere during the siege. However, our general, Mr. Davidson, was tougher than fifty per cent of his class and survived the full four years without acquiring so much as a single gray hair.

CLASS HISTORY (Continued)

This year ten failed to return; they were: Virginia Bowden, Everett Figg, Vera Herman, Wayne Hockett, Helen Isle, Anna Quick, Junior Ramsey, Wayne Roper, Drusilla Worthington, and Richard Gowan.

Our officers this year were: President, Bob Parrish; Vice-president, Marion Harris; Secretary, Billie Barton; and Treasurer, Carl Rodgers.

The big events of this year were: A trip to Brown County in the fall; our play, "Sulphur and Molasses" directed by our sponsor, Mr. Davidson (it was a big success); junior-senior reception, alumni banquet, weiner roast, and class picnic at Shades.

We have eight members who have attended Concannon for twelve years; they are: Bill Brown, George Brown, Howard Cates, Grace Evinger, Ethel Farrimond, Bill Johnson, Rosemary Williford, and John Scott.

Such is the history of the Class of 1941, noted among other things for the largest number of boys in a graduating class of Concannon High to date, and the smallest number of girls since the Class of 1937.

CLASS SONG

JHail, Hail, to Concannon High;
We are sorry to say good-bye;
We've been with you four short years;
We've got to leave you now adieu.

Cheers to the blue and the white;
You stood by us all through the fight;
Now in word of praise we say;
Long may her colors wave.

CLASS POEM

The sand of time has flown
with rapid speed and haste;
So let's follow to see where the '41 Seniors
their time as of old, do waste.

Located in a cottage,
surrounded by flowers and shrubs,
Junior Umphrey to Ruth's kitchen floor
unwillingly gives a scrub.

Hark, listen to that voice
happily sing with joy,
"Jesus wants me for a sunbeam."
Ah! It is not George Brown,
But 'tis his boy.

"Airplane" is the cry
and people in terror start to flee
But find it to be only John Scott
and his Model T.

What's this, of Paul Collins,
I read in the papers?
Hm! He finally married Rosemary and
cut out his boyish capers.

"I'm sorry," said Eugene and Max,
"We can't go;
It is lodge night
as you should know."

A notice reads thus,
"Listen each nite at seven and hear,
Old Jim, Jack and Charlie's
"Blue Ridge Mountaineers."

Yes, my love. Oh! Sure, my pet,
you know I will.
Ho! Ho! Some one got that
Barton boy named Bill.

As time went by-day by-day
Bill Johnson finally got
that job for the U. S. A.

Come one, come all,
and purchase this book
By Roberta Thockmartin,
explaining how to cook.

CLASS POEM (continued)

"What's your name?" I asked a little boy
beaming all over with joy.
"Who me! Oh! No one much,
only Bob Lake's boy."

I see where Carl Rodgers
asked for an appointment to go farther up
But Frances said, "Carl, Pa said, 'No',
enough is enough."

Daniel still calls on that girl named Certain
But instead of getting Certain,
He got the curtain.

What! Margaret Belle and Bud Harris
have drifted apart?
Well, if so, it won't surely break
Clotilde Concannon's heart.

I knew when I saw Don Cole
a grin all over his face spread
That he and Maxine
had at last wed.

Things sometimes happen with an unexpected rush;
I guess that's why mentioning James Bigger
to Christina Lyons,
make her start to blush.

While walking past the school,
I saw Howard Cates pulling a prank,
"Why, still in school?" I asked,
He said sadly, "My diploma is still blank."

"Will the meeting please come to order?",
Bob Parish in a business voice barks.
But at home, married to Norma,
he's meek as a lark.

"Paper mister?" is the cry I've heard often
and is not new;
It's the Hockett Twins,
Who as yet have not grown
much over an inch or two.

That old saying "Lightning never hits twice
at the same place", is sure bad stuff.
Because at last Tommy O'Dyer and Maragret Adelsberger
renewed their love.

CLASS POEM (continued)

No this is not so,
but future never yet has once lied.
So it's true I guess,
Ethel and George Art are in wedlock tied.

You must be wrong,
that about Jim Holbert and Tom Fyfe can't be right
Surely they wouldn't try to make
a motorcycle do an airplane flight.

Don Fortune and Norman Brown
made their profession as wrestlers.
But also turned out to be
first class bachelors.

Things can happen without our knowledge
Which makes me wonder
if Peggy caused Jimmy Kuykendall to quit college.

Well, I guess Mae didn't
give Bill Brown much chance at all
After school was out,
They were married the next fall.

Country boy and country girl
each other still like
Anyway, George Waugh and Grace Evinger
were married last nite.

It is said of Bette Horner
that she grew tired of waiting
Married someone else,
and forgot her heart's desired wedding.

Located on a little Indiana farm
Sits Maurice Taylor telling Dorothy Liffick
worn out yarns.

Hunter and Forster is the name of the team.
Oh my! Don't know how it is now,
but Accordions use to make me want to scream.

"Ah!" said Mary Jane,
"Little, large, small or tall"
"Why, I'd even swipe some other girl's boy
if it wasn't against the law."

"Why who's this, with their hair turned all gray?"
Well! Well! 'Tis Mr. Davidson and Miss Derby
already wishing, that, instead of September it was May.

Miss Wolford, Miss Davis, Miss Sharpe, Mrs. Neill, and Mr. Dorman still hold their positions as teachers at Concannon with Marcella Stepp as office girl. Mr. Sutton is now teaching at West Terre Haute. He still tells his classes the same old jokes. Mr. and Mrs. Weir formerly Hazel Stunkard, lives happily in South America with their six children. He is still teaching Physical Education although he is rather feeble.

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Bill Johnson runs a Mushroom Plant at Toad Hop. He says it's easier to grow 'em than to look for 'em.

Paul Collins is married, but he still can't get over those foolish boyhood days. He keeps three or four extras on the string.

Although Bette Horner could have done much better she settled down and has been a telephone operator for twenty-five years. Her life is a constant, number please-as, thank you, and wrong number.

We now leave the sunny South and move northward. We find Dorothy Forster as a stenographer at the new soap factory in Terre Haute.

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The last visit we make is the home of Rosemary Williford and Christina Lyons, the two old maids. They have squandered all of their lives and it is said that they have several socks left full of money.

CLASS PROPHECY (continued)

deep-sea diver for sponges. Before he finished school he married some girl from Terre Haute. She didn't make enough money at her work to keep a home and send him through college, too, so there he is, planted in the bottom of the deep blue sea.

As we were passing through Florida we stopped at a Rodeo. One of the main attractions was a clown on a trick donkey. After the show we found out who he was, none other than Norman Brown. We asked him why he wasn't the instructor at a dancing school any more. He said that the "Rhumba" was out of date, so when the Hockett twins, John and David, came along with their show he decided to join. We started talking about home and the Class of '41 and he told me that George Brown is living in West Terre Haute. He keeps the kids while Margie works at the new glue factory. Daniel McKinney is working at the Dresser Mine. Every Saturday night he calls square dances at the Jiggity Hop. His sister said that Clotilda Concannon married Richard Schmidt nearly twenty years ago. They live in South America and have a son, who is a freshman at Harvard. Richard owns a large construction company in Argentina and from what we understand they have an abundance of wealth.

Junior Umphrey and Ruth Blackburn are married and live in Montana. Jumior works in an ear muff factory and Ruth takes care of the ranch house. Oh yes, when Junior plays his trap drums, he wears his ear muffs to advertise or something.

Thomas Michael O'Dwyer--remember him, the big, tall, blond Irishman? He is an engineer of one of the Pennsylvania Railroad's crack trains and he is known as the modern day "Casey Jones."

At Concannon High in the faculty we find Mary Jane Stanton as teacher of civics. Mary Jane wanted to be an actress but her mama knew best. Roberta Throckmartin is the teacher of Home Economics. I wonder what became of Miss Payne? I heard that she went back to Bloomington with a broken heart. That little white-haired man didn't remember her birthday.

Mr. Wefler retired at the age of seventy-five. He spends his time traveling around the United States. Mr. Davidson is still at Concannon teaching Freshman English and we also hear that he is sponsor of another class now.

Miss Donovan has retired from teaching and is now living with her husband on the Darwin Road. George Waugh has replaced her on the faculty.

President Parrish recently broke a long precedent by appointing the first lady as a Justice of the Supreme Court, Miss Derby and Mr. Mendenhall as Secretary of Agriculture. Miss Curley is now the head of the Curley Commercial College in Van Buren, Arkansas.

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The last visit we make is the home of Rosemary Williford and Christina Lyons, the two old maids. They have squandered all of their lives and it is said that they have several socks left full of money.

CLASS WILL

We, the graduating class of the Concannon High School for the year 1941, being of sound mind and good judgment, do hereby make, execute, publish, and declare this our last will and testament, in manner following and hereby, by these presents revoke any and all wills made by us heretofore, individually or collectively, including any and all promises made without due deliberation or careful consideration. It is hereby decreed that any conflicting promises must be regarded as having been mad without due deliberation or careful consideration, and are thereby revoked in accordance with this last will and testament made and executed this twenty-eighth day of May, 1941, A. D.

To our parents who have made our school life possible, we bequeath our Love and Life-long Devotion. To them goes our thanks for all the sacrifices they have made that we might have an education and thus reach this happy hour when we are about to leave good old Concannon High. We also want to bequeath to them our sincere thanks for all the untimely effort put forth by them when trying to help us with our problems even though the answers weren't always right.

To our dear teachers, we bequeath our heartfelt thanks for their guidance through the years. Although we felt that they were a bit too strict at times, we know now that they had our best interest at heart. No doubt they have felt many times that their efforts were useless and that we would never make our grades but still they kept at their painful task with undying willingness. Perhaps we have often been unappreciative, thoughtless, and careless but we know in the years to come we will be grateful to them for our success in life.

To all our beloved schoolmates, we bequeath our inheritance of fine educational facilities. We leave to them our beloved school to love, honor, and to serve in the best way possible. We hope that they may be able to be successful in basketball, softball, track, and the many other contests in which they take part and thus hold up the name of and bring glory to Concannon High School.

To the Juniors, our immediate successors, we bequeath our "Senior Dignity". They should be able to take our place and carry on the work of the school very well since they have had "senioritis" for a year already. We leave to them anything that we may have left behind us in our excitement of these last few days, such as pencil stubs, slightly chewed gum, apple cores, candy papers, or any other things that might be left lying around.

To the Sophomores we bequeath our great and well known ability to act. To them also we leave our textbooks and worked-out assignments.

SCHOLARSHIP HONOR ROLL

First Semester

Freshman
Anderson, Florence
Concannon, Elizabeth
Johnson, Jack
Phillips, Mary Alice

Sophomore
Armstrong, Rebecca
Bowden, Harold
Clark, Selma
Cox, Ruby Mae
Everly, Mary Louise
Fyfe, Helen
Liffick, Fenton
Stewart, Dorothy
Wake, Erma Elizabeth

Juniors
Chadwick, Mary Frances
Ellsworth, Bill
Fick, Alma
Misner, Dean
Mulvihill, Joan
Mulvihill, Patricia
Waldon, Mona Vaughn
Weger, Rosemary

Seniors
Barton, Bill
Horner, Bette
Hunter, Anna Kathleen
Lake, Robert
Stanton, Margaret
Waugh, George

Second Semester

Seniors
Bill Barton
Ruth Blackburn
Clotilde Concannon
Grace Evinger
Bette Horner
Anna Kathleen Hunter
Robert Lake
Daniel McKinney
Margaret Stanton
Roberta Throckmartin
George Waugh

ATHLETIC AWARDS

Sweaters

Don Cole
Geo. Brown
Bill Johnson
Jr. Umphrey

Letters

Basket Ball

Clarence Brown
Robert Kahl
Bill Johnson
Wilbur Barton
Robert Fields
Jack Cummins

TRACK

Decathlon

First - Albert Mashino
Second - Bill Frazier

Individual Scorer - Bud Harris

Point Ranking

Harris - 57
Cummins - 44 1/4
Cole - 34 1/2
Dunkley - 34
Flinn - 25 3/4
Stark - 25 3/4
Mashino - 17
Kahl - 16
Johnson - 14
Wilson - 13 1/2
Taylor - 12 1/4
Fields - 10 1/2

Free Throw Champion - Basketball
Bob Fields
Runner-up - - - - Alfred Johnson

There were sixteen girls in G. A. A. this year who won 250 or more points, with Peggy Stanton getting 350 points.

JUNIORS PRESENT "PROFESSOR, HOW COULD YOU!"

The junior class on April 23, presented a matinee, and on April 24 followed it with an evening performance. Both were presented with unusual success.

CAST

Keats Perry. . . . . .Bill Ellsworth

Vicky Randolph . . . . . Imogene Eller

Grandma Perry. . . . . .Margaret Philabaum

Grandpa Perry. . . . . .Albert Johnson

John Appleby . . . . . .Alfred Johnson

Priscilla Morley . . . . . Pat Mulvihill

Tootsie Bean . . . . . .Joan Mulvihill

Butcher Boy Bean . . . . . .Bob Fields

Valerie Whitman. . . . . Anthis Hamilton

Boggins. . . . . .Albert Mashino

Three Young Children . . . . Hazel Isle, Mary Rose Johnson, and Georgeanna Chrisman

ENTERTAINERS

Anna Kathleen Hunter and Madeline Pennington. . . . Accordions

Billy Hamrick--Dance

Norma Ruth Barton--Dance

JUNIOR CLASS

Sponsor--Mrs. Frances Neill

Officers

President Bob Fields
Vice-Pres. Bob Kahl
Secretary Bill Ellsworth
Treasuror Ann Hamilton

Student Council

Alma Fick
Paul Bland
Patricia Mulvihill

May Queen Court

Anthis Hamilton
Mary Frances Chadwick

CLASS ROLL

Rosemary Anderson	Wilbur Barton	Maxine Beach
Hilda Bennett	Joe Bisch	Paul Bland
Max Bodine	Wanitta Bose	Clarence Brown
John Camp	Mary F. Chadwick	Georgeanna Chrisman
Cyrus Cox	Dale Crockett	Fredia Dawson
Ernest DeMougin	Imogene Eller	Bill Ellsworth
Alma Fick	Bob Fields	Bob Flinn
Anna Gray	Ann Hamilton	Violet Hamerick
Ernest Hargis	Richard Hicks	Viola Irwin
Hazel Isle	Albert Johnson	Alfred Johnson
Mary Johnson	Bob Kahl	Oscar Kasmeyer
Agnes McKinney	Lee McCullough	Albert Mashino
Marian McNeill	Dean Misner	Max Misner
Betty Mullen	Joan Mulvihill	Patricia Mulvihill
Maurice Mulvihill	Margaret Philabaum	Donald Quinn
Taylor Ramsey	Owen Ross	Mary E. Schwab
La Verne Smith	Jean Snedeker	Robert Schmidt
Margaret Von Kannon	Mona Waldon	David Stark

Irene Wyrick

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Sponsor--Miss Davis

Officers

President Jimmy Smith
Vice Pres. Mary Lou Everly
Secretary Betty Trueblood
Treasurer Anna Ruth Coveleskie

Student Council

Anna Merle Horner
Betty Trueblood

May Queen Court

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Betty Trueblood

CLASS ROLL

Margaret Akers
Eileen Anderson
Rebecca Armstrong
Carl Aue
Mary Ann Bailey
Charles Bash
Bill Bennett
Jack Bisch
Harold Bowden
Jimmie Burns
Bill Carpenter
Alden Certain
Alice Certain
Bette Chrisman
Selma Clark
Phyllis Coffel
Mary Ruth Collins
Joseph Cox
Anna R. Coveleskie
Ruby Mae Cox
Jack Cummins
Betty Darling
George Dunkley
Murphy Enochs
Mary Louise Everly
Peggy Fields
Joe Flanagan
Martha Jane Forster
Thelma French
Colleen Fuller
Steven Fuson
Helen Fyfe
Tony Gray
Harry Hamilton
Anna Merle Horner
Katherine Johns
Helen Ina Grinslade
Dorothy Mae Jones
Earl Lake
Helen Frances Lane
Bill Lark
Jane LaForge
Fenton Liffick
Junior Lindsay
James Smith
Marie Maher
Dorothy McCarty
Kathleen McKinmy
John F. O'Dwyer
Bette Ann Phillips
Bernadine Prather
Hubert Roberts
Margaret Ann Roth
Carly Smith
Lena Stoppe
Dorothy Stewart
Eugene Taylor
Bessie Thomas
Betty Jean Trueblood
Dorothy Turner
Jack Summerlot
Benjamin Vermillion
Betty Wake
Erma Elizabeth Wake
Nicholas Williams
Milton Wilson
William Wilson

STUDENTS WITHDRAWN

Orval Bryan
Bill Carson
Bob Cates
Iona Certain
Norma Christman
Cyril Cole
Elmer Compton
Harry Cooley
Opal Cooper
Margaret Downey
Harold Fleener
Marie Harrington
Harry Hennigan
Edward Lane
Anna L. Sumers
Effie Leppord
August Maher
William Matlock
Willa McMasters
John Pegg
Virginia Schwab
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FRESHMEN

Sponsor Russel H. Mendenhall

Student Council
Fred Ramsey
John Penman

Officers
President--Elizabeth Concannon
Vice President--Lester Ramey
Secretary and
Treasure--Ernest Adelsberger

CLASS ROLE

Abrams, Merrill
Adelsberger, Ernest
Anderson, Alice
Anderson, Florence
Astley, Robert
Atterson, Betty
Aue, Bob
Bailey, Beulah Mae
Brock, Elmer
Brown, Daniel
Brown, Doyle
Bunch, Carl
Burns, Pearl Irene
Callahan, Danny
Carson, Joyce
Case, Bertha Irene
Clinton, Leo
Cole, Martin
Collins, Grace
Compton, Leonard
Concannon, Elizabeth
Cooley, Ibert
Coppell, Bartlett
Cox, Paul
Davidson, Harvey
Dawson, Charlene
Dowdy, Robert
Elkins, Raymind
Fennell, Margaret
Fields, Rex
Fields, Max
Foley, Irene
Fortune, Harold
Frazier, Billy
Gallington, Carl Robert
Green Billy
Green, Minnie
Hamrick, Joe
Hargis, Charles
Harrah, Fred
Highsmith, Jack
Hooker, Anna
Hungarford, Naoda
Irwin, Virginia
Isabel Thomas
Johnson, Jack
Kellett, Agnes
Lamb, Daisy Mae
Langford, Charlotte
Lee, Gerald
Leek, Mary Alice
Lewis, Robert Earl
Lowe, Norman
Lowe, Walter
McCarty, Freda
McClain, Billy
McCullough, Maurice
Maher, Joe
Medley, Mary Frances
Mulvihill, Richard
Niccum, Kenneth
O'brien, Russell
Prather, Evelyn
Penman, John
Peters, Ernest J.
Phillips, Mary
Prather, Marguerite
Pruiett, Junior
Ramey, Lester
Ramsey, Fred
Rodgers, Earl C.
Rosimer, Jack
Runkle, Franklin
Silcock, Bobby Joe
Slavens, Frank
Smith, Junior
Stogsdill, Jack
Summerlot, Marian
Sybert, Helen
Taylor, Robert
Waldon, Rosetti Jean
Waugh, Minnie
Weir, Ray
Yakel, Annette
Horton, Roy

WE WONDER WHY?

Carl Rodgers thinks he has curls.
Bobby Joe Silcock won't grow up.
Miss Donovan keeps the windows opened in the 6th hour English class.
The Senior girls wish Jimmie Schmidt were a little older.
Tommie Fyfe fell off his motorcycle.
Christina Lyon won't tell who she was with after the reception.
Junior boys get "burr" hair cuts.
Maxine Beach and Don Cole get mad.
Kathleen Hunter dances with Norman Brown.
The Home Ec. girls' white rats died.
The Freshmen boys call Pearl Burns "dainty fingers".
"Salty" Callahan can't keep his gold teeth.
George Brown stayed all night in W. T. H. after the reception.
Ethel Farrimond is mad at the girls in the third hour Home Ec. class.
Betty Mullens hair is red.
Joan Mulvihill thought she would get four invitations to the Junior and Senior banquet.
Jack Cummins doesn't start growing short.
Charles Bashe gives the wrong answers in Math. class.
Betty Wake likes a certain Junior boy.
Mary Lou Everly can spell.
Rosemary Williford couldn't eat her dinner one day.
Mary Frances Chadwick shoes makes so much noise.
Mr. Wefler doesn't want anyone lottering in the halls.
Margaret Philabaum didn't want to go to the reception with any of boys from Concannon.
Dale Crockett is five feet, nine inches tall.
Ernest DeMougin has so many girl friends.
Tom Fyfe thinks he has so much authority.
Geo. Brown waves his hair.
Dorothy Liffick wants to be a nurse.
Marian McNeil thinks this is leap year.
You hear such a variety of languages in the typing classes.
Peggy Stanton wanted to sit with Bill Johnson at the reception and why she wants to march with him at graduation.
Ruth Blackburn didn't wear her diamond after the reception.
Bill Johnson didn't take Marian McNeil home May 17.
Everyone thought Geo. Waugh was engaged.
Jimmie Kuykendall doesn't like his name, "Homer".
Rosemary Williford still likes Paul Collins.
Frances Southerland doesn't speak to the girls in her class.
They call Bob Parrish "Sergent" and Bill Barton "Private".
Don Cole thinks he has a million dollar arm.
Junior Umphrey walked his girl home on May 20th.
David Hockett doesn't like that certain Junior girl.
Bob Schmidt took Clotilde Concannon to the reception.
Someone kept throwing a handkerchief in Senior Typing class.
Margaret Adelsberger likes Mrs. Callahan.
Dorothy Forster likes the CCC boys.

Concannon School Songs

On Concannon

On, Concannon! On, Concannon!
Alma Mater dear,
We thy loyal sons and daughters
Greet thee with good cheer.
May the future years proclaim us
Worthy of thy fame.
Hail, then, for on and upward,
Praise we thy name.

We're Loyal to You Concannon High School

We're loyal to you Concannon High school
We're White and Blue, Concannon High School
We'll back you to stand
'Gainst the best in the land
For we know you have sand, Concannon High School
Rah! Rah! So go right ahead Concannon High School
Go crashing ahead Concannon High School
Our school is our fame protector,
On! On! for we expect a wonder from you
Concannon High School

On the Banks of the Wabash

Oh, the moon light's fair
to-night along the Wabash,
From the fields there comes
the breath of new mown hay.

Thru' the sycamores the
candle lights are gleaming,
On the banks of the
Wabash, far away.

MEMORIAL TO ALL DECEASED GRADUATES AND FACULTY FROM CONCANNON HIGH SCHOOL

If I can stop one heart from breaking
I shall not live in vain
If I can ease one life the aching
or cool one pain,
or help one falling robin
into his nest again,
I shall not live in vain.

. . . . Emily Dickinson

This poem was taken from the collections of Beth Ann Fick